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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Explosion and Fire.

NEW YORK, August 5.—Evening—At two o'clock this afternoon Long Island city was shaken as by an earthquake by the explosion of two tank boats lying opposite to Rockafellows-Island city oil works. In three minutes the flames had communicated to material stored in the yards and three square blocks were enveloped in flames. Intense heat would not admit of the firemen's approach within a block and a half of the scene, while the thick smoke was unsupportingly suffocating at a greater distance. Capt. Meyer, of one of the tank boats, and a number of others were killed by the explosion and a great number of boatmen employed near the scene were obliged to jump into the river in order to escape being roasted alive. The Long Island City Oil Works, Standard Oil Works, A. A. Lowenstein's varnish factory and other buildings were destroyed. The fire is still burning to-night. The loss has not been ascertained.

Report of a Railroad Commissioner.

NEW YORK, August 5.—The Commissioner appointed to examine the route of the Southern Pacific Railroad, reported favorably upon the grading and telegraph in the construction of the fourth section of twenty miles of railroad extending from its intersection with the San Joaquin valley branch of the Central Pacific Railroad.

More about the P. R.

ST. LOUIS, August 5.—Another deposit of $500 in the Allen and McCool prize fight, which is to come off September 23d, was made to-night at the saloon of Mike McCool, making $1,500 now up. The last deposit is to be made just prior to meeting.

Talk of a New Trial for Walworth.

NEW YORK, August 5.—It is understood that the Court of Oyer and Terminer convened to-day, especially to receive a Bill of Exceptions, to be presented by Walworth's counsel. This bill will comprise many exceptions taken by the counsel during the trial, and a new trial is confidently looked for. The counsel not being ready with their bill, no action was taken in the matter.

Inhuman Brutality.

NEW YORK, August 5.—Henry Dohr, a baker, yesterday discovered a boy named Dougherty attempting to steal a loaf of bread from his wagon. He beat and kicked him in so brutal a manner, that it is quite probable the boy will die. Dohr has been arrested.

Intense Patriotism.

Some of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic in Hoboken compelled a saloon keeper to take down a German flag, which was flying over an American flag, and reverse their position.

Sentence Commuted.

Gov. Dix has commuted the sentence of David Murphy, convicted of the murder of David Barry and sentenced to be hanged on Friday, to imprisonment for life.

Miscellaneous.

It is now stated that the attempted burglary in the Department of Public Works was no burglary after all, but one of the clerks forgot to shut the safe door and his companions concluded robbery had been attempted.

An effort is being made to procure a public reception for Joseph A. Richbald, of English agricultural fame, who is expected in this country this month, to see for himself if skilled farm servants are wanted, and to provide for their transportation hither.

COLUMBUS, O., August 6.—The State Democratic Convention assembled at the Opera House this morning. All the counties are represented, some by large delegations. S. F. Hunt, of Hamilton, was chosen temporary Chairman. He made an earnest speech, predicting an active contest during the coming campaign, and future greatness of the Democratic party. He wanted the cry to go abroad that "the Old Guard dies but never surrenders."

Suits against the Erie R. R. Co.

NEW YORK, August 6.—The statement is rife in Wall street that a series of law suits are about to be begun against the Erie Railroad Company by persons who claim to have been injured by alleged violation of official trusts by the past and present administrations, and by the non-fulfillment of its contracts with other corporations. One such, according to the statements made, would be brought by the holder of a certain amount of common stock, and another by the owner of Erie preferred, charging that the Directors had violated the duties of their office in issuing bonds, proceeds from the sale of which had been applied to the payment of the last dividend on common stock. A third suit would be a mere demand for the adjudication of the Erie Railroad Company as a bankrupt, on the ground of refusal to pay interest on bonds of the Boston, Hartford and Erie railroad, guaranteed by it. The suits, it is said, will be brought simultaneously. Friends of the Erie characterize the suits as a stock jobbing maneuver.

Our Regular Murder.

NEW YORK, August 6.—James Kelly last evening fatally stabbed his wife, who had refused to live with him.

Important Appointment.

NEW YORK, August 6.—Senator Morton has addressed notes to his associates on the Committee of Privileges and Elections, appointing a fall meeting of that Committee in this city on the 1st of October, for the consideration of the proposed amendments to the Constitution, which shall effect a change in the mode of electing the President and Vice President. It is intended to give the sessions of the Committee in New York a public character, and several Constitutional lawyers and writers on this special subject will be invited to address the Committee.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Land Office Decision.

WASHINGTON, August 5.—The Commissioner of the General Land Office has decided that parties desiring to acquire title to lands containing valuable deposits of iron ore must comply with the provisions of the mining act approved May 15th, 1872, except in the States of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota, which by act of Congress approved March 6th, 1873, are expressly relieved from its operations.

News from Cadiz.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 6.—The Navy Department to-day received a dispatch from Capt. Wells, commanding the *Shenandoah*, dated Cadiz, August 5th. He says: "Cadiz is in possession of Government forces. The insurgents surrendered without fighting, and the city is quiet." He says nothing about his conduct in that port. The Department does not credit the telegraphic statement of the 4th, that he had ordered the Spanish insurgent frigate *Villa de Madrid* to abstain from hostilities, and that vessel remained at anchor under the guns of the *Shenandoah*.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

From London.

LONDON, August 5.—Parliament was prorogued to-day. The Queen's speech was read by the Royal Commissioner. The betrothal of Prince Arthur of England to Princess Thyra of Denmark is announced.

From Madrid.

MADRID, August 5.—A Provisional President of the Junta at Cadiz has been appointed until the arrival and restoration of the regular civil authorities of the city.

A powder magazine at Valencia exploded. Many insurgents were killed and wounded.

Contreras declines to land. He is afraid of the vengeance of his companions.

The Germans have captured two insurgent frigates in the waters of Malaga.

MADRID, August 6.—Insurgent troops at Cadiz have surrendered to the National troops.

Senor Rances has been appointed President of the Junta of Cadiz until the arrival of the authorities.

Important, if True.

PARIS, August 6.—A dispatch from Vienna says that an interview yesterday between Count de Chambord and the Count de Paris was most cordial, and that the political situation of France was not alluded to.

John Lathrop Motley Stricken with Apoplexy.

LONDON, August 6.—John Lathrop Motley, American historian, has been stricken with apoplexy, depriving him of the use of one side.

Wm. E. Baxter, Joint Secretary of the Treasury, has resigned.

ARIZONA.

SAN DIEGO, August 6.—At Florence, Arizona, a party of fifteen Papago Indians, after drinking freely, broke into the house of a white man and stole all his provisions and sixty dollars in money. The liquor was furnished by traders from Sonora. The Papagos when sober are the best Indians in Arizona.

No rain and late crops are a failure.

UTAH.

SALT LAKE, August 6.—A new service was made on Brigham Young in the divorce suit last night. The case will be argued to-morrow before Judge Emerson.

A delegation of the City Council of Philadelphia arrived last evening. They were met at Ogden by Mayor Wells and a delegation of the City Council as guests of the city. This morning the party visited the principal points of interest in the city and left this afternoon for Sacramento, Yosemite and San Francisco. Jos. B. Hancock, member of the Legislature, joined the party.

To-day the reception here was entirely Mormon. No United States officials or gentiles were invited to participate.

"Utah" Butcher has been held without bail for the murder of the Colton family. At the close of the examination there was great excitement in the court room. Revolvers were drawn and a bloody scene threatened. Fortunately order was restored.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The Search for the Geo. S. Wright.

VICTORIA, August 6.—The U. S. Revenue Cutter *Lincoln* arrived in the harbor last evening from Port Townsend. She is going north to search for further and more definite tidings as to the fate of the lost steamship *George S. Wright* and her people. Every cave, inlet and bay will be entered, and all the Indian villages examined for traces of the wreck and those who were on board of her.

A party of five or six are organizing for the hill diggings at Big Bend, to start on Friday.

The bark *Volaque* will be towed to Burrard Inlet by the tug *Goliah* to-day.

The *Colonist* says a letter from Gansby's surveying party states that good prospects of gold have been obtained on the Squamish river.

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—The Tax-payers made no nomination for Mayor. A. S. Halladie declined to run. The Convention nominated Davis Louderback for Police Judge, and Richard O'Neil, J. R. Simmons, and D. A. McDonald for Supervisors.

There are allegations of fraudulent practices under the stone construction contract for the new mint; that the quality of the material is very inferior to the contract bidding samples. It is very probable that an investigation will be ordered. It is no secret that Mullet, Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department, is very indignant, and greatly dissatisfied with the manner in which the contract is being performed.

The Republican County Convention will name Delegates to the State Judicial Convention. Report next Tuesday evening.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—Peace Commissioner Meacham is in the city at the Russ House. It is reported that he is on his way to Washington to make personal intercession in view of obtaining pardon for Capt. Jack.

A great crowd of Chinamen are at the City Hall awaiting the opening of the trial of eight members of the Hip Yee Tong Society for conspiracy, which will take place to-day.

Passenger overland for Oregon: F. Taylor and H. Halsen.

Receipts of Oregon flour are steadily declining. It is thought the receipts of Oregon oats for this season are about ended. The market is freely supplied with California oats.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—The *Oriflamme* has been put on the Oregon route again, and will sail for Portland next Saturday.

It is reported that the Clay Street Railroad Company will be obliged to put in new turntables, as the present ones are too light to support the weight of heavily laden trucks and drays.

It is rumored that the Tax-payers have nominated A. S. Halladie and Washington Bartlett for the Senate, and Estee, Wilmerding, Aldrich, Cowdery and Hamill for the Assembly. It needs confirmation.

THE LIQUOR INTEREST.

Tramp, tramp, tramp, the boys are marching—how many of them? Sixty thousand! Sixty full regiments, every man of which will, before twelve months shall have completed their course, lie down in the grave of a drunkard! Every year during the past decade has witnessed the same sacrifice, and sixty regiments stand behind this army ready to take its place. It is to be recruited from our children and our children's children. "Tramp, tramp, tramp"—the sounds come to us in the echoes of the footsteps of the army just expired; tramp, tramp, tramp—the earth shakes with the tread of the host now passing; tramp, tramp, tramp, comes to us from the camp of the recruits. A great tide of life flows resistlessly to its death. What in God's name are they fighting for? The privilege of pleasing an appetite, of conforming to a social usage, of filling sixty thousand homes with shame and sorrow, of loading the public with the burden of pauperism, of crowding our prison-houses with felons, of detracting from the productive industries of the country, of ruining fortunes and breaking hopes, of breeding disease and wretchedness, of destroying both body and soul in hell before their time.

The prosperity of the liquor interest, covering every department of it, depends entirely on the maintenance of this army. It cannot live without it. It never did live without it. So long as the liquor interest maintains its present prosperous condition, it will cost America the sacrifice of sixty thousand men every year. The effect is inseparable from the cause. The cost to the country of the liquor traffic is a sum so stupendous that any figures which we should dare to give would convict us of trifling. The amount of life absolutely destroyed, the amount of industry sacrificed, the amount of bread transformed into poison, the shame, the unavailing sorrow, the crime, the poverty, the pauperism, the brutality, the wild waste of vital and financial resources, makes an aggregate so vast—so incalculably vast, that the only wonder is that the American people do not rise as one man and declare that this great curse shall exist no longer. Dilettante conventions are held on the subject of peace, by men and women who find it necessary to fiddle to keep themselves awake. A hue and cry is raised about woman's suffrage as if any wrong which may be involved in woman's lack of the suffrage could be compared to the wrongs attached to the liquor interest. Does any sane woman doubt that women are suffering a thousand times more from rum than from any political disability?

The truth is that there is no question before the American people to-day that begins to match in importance the temperance question. The question of American slavery was never anything but a baby by the side of this, and we prophesy that within ten years, if not within five, the whole country will be awake to it, and divided upon it. The organizations of the liquor interest, the vast funds at its command, the universal feeling among those whose business is pitted against the national prosperity and the public morals—these are enough to show that upon one side of this matter at least the present condition of things and the social and political questions that lie in the immediate future are apprehended. The liquor interest knows there is to be a great struggle, and is preparing to meet it. People both in this country and in Great Britain are beginning to see the enormity of this business—are beginning to realize that Christian civilization is actually poisoned at its fountain, and that there can be no purification of it until the source of the poison is dried up.

The country is to be sincerely congratulated on the fact that the wine interest of the United States does not promise much. Little native wine after all our painstaking finds its way to a gentleman's table. The California wines are a disappointment and a failure, and the Western wines are the same. Neither the dry nor the sparkling Catawba takes the place of anything imported. They are not popular wines, and we congratulate the country that they never can be. The lager beer interest, is endeavoring, in convention, to separate itself from the whisky interest, claiming to be holier and more respectable than that. They are all to be lumped together. They are all opposed to sobriety, and, in the end, we shall find them all fighting side by side for existence against the determined indignation of a long-suffering people.

A respectable English magazine reports, as a fact of encouraging moment, that of the fifty thousand clergymen of the Church of England as many as four thousand actually abstain from the use of spirits! So, eleven-twelfths of the clergymen of the English Church consent to be dumb dogs on the temperance question! How large the proportion of wine-drinking clergymen may be in this country we do not know, but we do know that a wine-glass stops the mouth on the subject of temperance, whoever may hold it. A wine-drinking clergyman is a soldier disarmed. He is not only not worth a straw in the fight, he is a part of the *impedimenta* of the temperance army. We have a good many such to carry, who ought to be ashamed of themselves, and who very soon will be. Temperance laws are being passed by the various Legislatures, which they must sustain, or go over, soul and body, to the liquor interest and influence. Steps are to be taken on behalf of the public health, morals, and prosperity, which they must approve by voice and act, or they must consent to be left behind and left out. There can be no concession and no compromise on the part of temperance men, and no quarter to the foe. The great curse of our country and our race must be destroyed.

Meantime, the tramp, tramp, tramp sounds on; the tramp of sixty thousand yearly victims. Some are besotted and stupid, some are wild with hilarity and dance along the dusty way, some reel along in pitiful weakness, some wreak their mad and murderous impulses on one another, or on the helpless women and children whose destinies are united to theirs, some stop in wayside debaucheries and infamies for a moment, some go bound in chains from which they seek in vain to wrench their bleeding wrists, and all are poisoned in body and soul, and all are doomed to death. Wherever they move, crime, poverty, shame, wretchedness and despair hover in awful shadows. There is no bright side to the picture. We forget: there is just one. The men who make this army get rich. Their children are robed in purple and fine linen, and live upon dainties. Some of them are regarded as respectable members of society, and they hold conventions to protect their interests! Still the tramp, tramp, tramp goes on; and before this article can see the light, five thousand more of our poisoned army will have hidden their shame and disgrace in the grave.—*Dr. J. G. Holland; Scribner's for August.*

THE CANNED CORN MONOPOLY.—In relation to the attempt of some Portland Yankees to seize the monopoly of canning corn, the New York *Grocer* says:

Two cases have been heard by the courts. In the Maine District Judge Clifford decided that the patents were valid. In the Massachusetts case, Judge Lowell refused an injunction claimed by the patentee, on the ground that there seemed to be no validity in the patents. The case now goes to the Supreme Court of the United States. The patent claimed by the Portland combination covers all green corn put up in hermetically sealed cans, and notice has been given to all dealers and packers that the sale of any packed corn will be prosecuted. At the same time notice is also given of an advance in the wholesale price of the corn put up in Portland. If these patents are confirmed by the courts, an attempt will be made to make them apply to all other vegetables, and also to fruits, including tomatoes, peaches, pears, strawberries, beans, peas, and endless variety of goods. These fruits and vegetables are now packed in all the fruit-growing districts in the country, it being already a large business in this vicinity. From the same paper we learn that in 1872 there were nine millions of cans of green corn in the United States. The advance in the wholesale price made in the notice of the Portland combination is 40 cents per dozen cans, and is equal to five cents per can to consumers, or $450,000. If this be supplemented by a like advance on each can of tomatoes, and of all other vegetables and fruits, the tax will amount to several millions of dollars annually, and be equal in monstrosity and oppression to the sewing-machine robbery.

ROCK INSCRIPTIONS IN BRAZIL.—The brief account of the discovery of Phœnician inscriptions in Brazil printed recently, is sufficient reason for directing the attention of scholars to the general importance of the subject. These rock inscriptions in South America are peculiarly worthy of attention, because they seem to belong to a vast series, to the study of which Mentone on the Mediterranean offers important contributions. M. de Bourbourg, in his *Quatre Lettres sur le Mexique*, points out the astonishing analogies between the myths of the ancient Mexicans and those of Egyptians; and though the idea of an ethnological relation between the races has been regarded as very fanciful, it borrows singular confirmation from this recent discovery. It is now generally admitted that the red raspberry first passed from America into Asia by the way of the northwest and returned by the way of Europe, thus girdling the world; and it may appear by and by that the American races, of several types, are identical with the old world stocks, or even that America was the first dwelling place of the human race, as it is geologically the older world of the two. Brazil, for example, has, according to Mr. Hyde Clarke, of the London Anthropological Institute, partaken of at least two great migrations. The Kiriri of Bahia are allied by language to the ancient Pygmean or Negrito race, while the Guarani languages are allied to the Agau of the Nile region, the Abkhass of Caucasus, and probably to the antique Ukes, who were the Pelasgians of Egypt. The Mentone inscriptions probably belong to the same era. These Phœnician remains render this early relation of the continents no longer a dream.

A Paris dispatch of July 31st says: It is commonly reported that Marshal MacMahon will retain the Presidency of the Republic but six months longer, when he will resign and return to the command of the army. It is considered certain that the republican form of government will be succeeded by a monarchy, and it is deemed essential that Marshal MacMahon, who possesses great influence with the army, should be in command on the occasion of the change. The Monarchists have determined to agitate the question in the Republic [illegible] during the recess and are making preparations for a vigorous campaign.

The Trustees of the Rice Relief Fund of New York city have presented patrolman Patrick H. Byrnes of the police force with the sum of $1000 as a reward for heroic conduct. The letter accompanying states that the check is presented as a mark of their high appreciation of his gallant conduct on the 16th ult., when in performance of duty he was attacked by two ruffians, who wrested his club from him, stabbed him in the [illegible] and [illegible] by his invincible courage, compelled the flight of two of his assailants, and arrested and brought in custody the others to the station house.

Gustav Rose, the distinguished chemist and [illegible] in his seventy-fifth year.

SOME POINTED COMMENTS.

PORTLAND, August 5, 1873.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Upon reading to-day's number of the *Evening News* the following from the local columns thereof met our eyes:

COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE.—A body was formed to-day, under the above name, consisting of Mr. B. Goldsmith, P. C. Schuyler and O. B. Gibson. The object of this committee is to furnish all necessary information to persons holding policies and to sit with the Board of Adjusters, to see that every man, rich or poor, receives his just dues, and to save the sufferers from being bled by lawyers or swindled by companies. Any person desirous of receiving information in this line will receive it free of charge by this committee.

Now, Mr. Editor, your correspondent happens to be a humble member of the profession so wilfully and atrociously slandered. Let us examine for a moment the statement as above quoted. The word "bled" as used therein means in plain English "stolen from." When we say that A has bled B, we mean that A has stolen from B, or taken from him by means as bad as stealing.

Now, stripping the item as published by the *News*, of all rhetorical verbiage, we have this statement blazoned forth to the world by that paper: Messrs. B. Goldsmith, P. C. Schuyler and O. B. Gibson, have formed themselves into a committee to prevent the Insurance Companies, through their agents, from robbing, and the lawyers of Portland from stealing from, the already impoverished victims of our last fire; all of which is either a rather modest assumption on the part of Messrs. Goldsmith, Schuyler and Gibson, or a very decided expression of belief on the part of the evening paper. Or again, the insurance business of all the companies is, of course, transacted by their agents here, and all, or nearly all, the insurance law business is managed by the older lawyers of the city. Among the insurance companies doing business here and losers by the fire, are the London, Liverpool and Globe, with Mr. Mark A. King as agent; the Hartford, with Mr. C. P. Ferry as agent; the Union, with Mr. E. D. Backenstos as agent; the Home, with Mr. H. Boyd as agent; and the Imperial, with Mr. Wilson as agent. Now, look at some of the representative lawyers that we have spoken of, for instance, Hon. Wm. Strong, Hon. W. W. Page, Messrs. Shattuck & Killin, Messrs. Dolph, Bronaugh, Dolph & Simon, Messrs. Thayer & Williams, Messrs. Whalley & Fechheimer, and Gov. Gibbs, for example, and it is safe to say that the gentlemen we have named do at least nine-tenths of all the legal insurance business done in the State. In the light of these facts, read the *News'* item again, and we have in plain Anglo-Saxon the following statement published to the world: Messrs. Goldsmith, Schuyler and Gibson, have formed themselves into a committee to prevent such men as Mark A. King, C. P. Ferry, E. D. Backenstos, H. Boyd and Mr. Wilson, from robbing the unfortunate, and such men as Hon. Wm. Strong, Hon. W. W. Page, Messrs. Shattuck & Killin, Messrs. Dolph, Bronaugh, Dolph & Simon, Messrs. Thayer & Williams, Messrs. Whalley & Fechheimer, and Gov. Gibbs, from stealing what the above named robbers may leave the sufferers from the great fire. Your correspondent has always known that there are some bad men—nay, to admit the whole truth, that there are some calling themselves lawyers that will steal, but we have never been inclined to class the counsel who now wields the editorial goose-quill of the *News* among that number.

Again, your correspondent can hardly believe that Messrs. Goldsmith, Schuyler and Gibson, authorized the publication of such a slander; but by all means let us know the truth of the whole matter, and whether the audacious slander on our profession was a wilful falsehood or an unlucky blunder on the part of the *News*, or a vainglorious advertisement of reputations that need bracing.

One who trusts he is
AN HONEST LAWYER.

LETTER FROM THE CLAM COUNTRY.

OYSTERVILLE, July 29, 1873.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Thinking a few items from this quiet little burg, from one who takes an interest in your paper, would be acceptable, I will endeavor to give them to you as I have found them.

Oysterville has a population of about 300, most of the male population of which are engaged in the oyster business, and find it quite remunerative.

The church here answers for both church and school house—the public school averaging 25 scholars. They have regular services each Sunday, Rev. J. Y. D. Dennison pastor, of the Methodist denomination; also a Sunday School connected with it. The place supports two hotels, the Stevens House and Caruthers Hotel—either one affording good accommodations for visitors. There can be had oysters, clams and crabs in abundance, in every style, and well cooked. They understand that to perfection. At the Stevens House, where I am stopping, they are very courteous, and try to make it as pleasant as possible.

At low tide you can drive out on the sands for nearly two miles, and here are the oyster-beds on every hand. As you go through the beds you can scarcely realize that you are actually surrounded by the shelled luxuries of which we are so fond. The beds are about four acres in size, each man is entitled to 10 acres by law, but seldom uses more than 4. Oysters here serve as legal tender. There are three or four companies along the bay, and they find a ready market for the products of their toil.

Mr. Thomas Crellin is building a fine house, under the supervision of C. Carmichael, a contractor from Portland. There are quite a number of dwellings here that are a credit to the place, most all of which are neat and cozy.

The regatta, of which you have already received an account, is yet the principal theme of conversation. They have a fine fleet of boats here, 25 in number, averaging 5 tons burden. The *Ida Maria* is acknowledged to be the finest boat on the Bay, or perhaps on the coast; she is all copper fastened, neat and trim, sits on the water like a gull, and is really a very fine little craft, owned by E. G. Sunns. She is said to have cost $1,500.

We receive mail but twice a week—Tuesday and Saturday—two days from Portland and just here, for the information of those desiring it, I will state that there are only two days in the week that there is a through connection from Portland to this place, they are Monday and Friday.

At this point the Bay is six miles wide, and five miles up to the point of the peninsula and fifteen miles to the lighthouse. The mouth of the Bay is one mile wide and the channel deep enough for schooners of good size—the *Shubrick* has been here frequently.

Any one coming here expecting to find much life or excitement will be disappointed, but for a few weeks of quiet rest from the drive of business, this place is seldom equaled. The fare is plain, good and well cooked, clean and neat, charges reasonable, and bathing facilities far superior to those of Clatsop, for here you have bathing in the Bay where it is as smooth as the river, or if you wish, walk but a mile to the weather beach where you may find as fine surf bathing as anywhere. For those who are fond of hunting here an abundant opportunity is given to gratify their wish in that direction—elk, deer and birds. Those too who are fond of sailing here is a large Bay with all the room and wind that the most exacting could desire; in fact, it [illegible] everything to induce persons in pursuit of either rest or health to try it.

There is no agricultural country around here, but there are a great many acres of what are called high tide lands, over which the tide seldom flows, and on which grows grass in abundance. Here the herds of horses and cattle feed nearly all the year, and are rolling fat. Sweeter butter than they make here I have rarely met with.

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SARTOR RESARTUS.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, August 4, 1873.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Dr. Davis, editor of the Railroad Ring organ at Cornelius in his last issue published a column and a half of "open letter" to Judge Humphrey of this county. The only professed object of the letter is to convince the Judge that the record and character of the writer is pure and spotless, without "stain or blemish," and that he is fully competent and worthy to fill the self-imposed position of teacher of the Republicans of this county. But as this object could have been as well accomplished by a private as by a public letter, we are inclined to believe that either the writer has some other object, or a column and a half space in his paper is cheaper than a postage stamp—perhaps both. We are given an interesting (?) autobiography of this important individual, without a charge of "one cent." This is generous, but we suspect the Doctor rightly estimated its market value. The thought suggests itself, that the Doctor has motives for being so extremely anxious to be the first to tell his own story, other than those given; but we repress the thought as ungrateful to a teacher (?) of the Republican party.

So far as the writer refers to the private or political conduct of Judge Humphrey, we have no concern, but when the Doctor assumes to be the leader of the Republicans of this county, when he denominates those who do not support his ring organ enemies of Republican principles, when he speaks of "the enemies of my paper and the Republican party," when he denominates inquiries into his record as "endeavoring to collect evidence detrimental to the good of the Republican party of Washington county," we have a right to inquire into the foundation of this arrogant pretension. When he tells us, after an attempt to prove the purity of his life and record, that he voted for Horace Greeley; that, when his party and principles were in peril, when they were passing through a struggle for existence, when the great contest came which was to determine whether Republicanism was a success or a failure, whether its principles were to live or be buried in the ruins of the past, he, a professed Republican and would-be Republican leader, was found in the enemy's camp joining his war cry, and then seriously tells us that he has still doubts as to whether in so doing he acted outside of the Republican party, we cannot but think that those who never voted aught but a Republican ticket, have a right to consider his pretensions as sublimated egotism. Under the circumstances, in assuming to pass judgment upon the political consistency of others and decide what is and what is not Republicanism, the Doctor exhibits a rare amount of modesty, to say the least. We might ask, though it is perhaps not pertinent, if the welfare of the Republican party is so intimately connected with that of the Doctor, that he cannot be pricked with a pin but the party goes into convulsions, how Grant managed to get a corporal's guard in our last national contest, when the Doctor with all his influence and pill bags went over, body and soul, to H. G.? How did the party in this county manage to live at all, before it was illuminated by the light of his optics? Supposing his assertions about Judge H. true, is it graceful for the bolter of a national nomination to read lectures to bolters of a county nomination on political consistency? Whose head is the sorest? Is the Doctor trying to escape the odium his own conduct merits by crying "stop thief!" after somebody else, or by showing that somebody is nearly as bad as he is? Is he trying to show that the Republican party of this county is so demoralized and recreant to principle, and contains so few true men that it is compelled to follow the lead of a Greeley and Brown Democrat?

But, seriously, what induced this extraordinary man to start a paper in this county, and that, too, in a little place that has been so long dead that you have to hold your nostrils in passing, and the name of which, according to the last number of his paper, he is ashamed of? Was it scarcity of light in the political heavens? By no means. He was induced to come by a ring; he is owned by a ring; is supported by a ring, and his sole object is to advance and defend the private schemes and intrigues of a ring; and his loud professions of Republicanism, while so fresh from the Democratic camp, is simply one of the means of accomplishing that object. And we are asked to support his organ, or rather our support is demanded under penalty of excommunication—with all its ring schemes, because it is "the only Republican paper in the county." As well demand that his Satanic majesty be worshiped whenever he appears in the "livery of heaven."

REPUBLICAN.

GENERAL NOTES.

Several Cuban families are at Saratoga. The ladies are conspicuous for their great beauty and magnificent toilets.

Twenty-eight different kinds of "bitters" sold in Rhode Island for "strictly medicinal use," are undergoing analysis by the State chemist from an excise point of view.

A Virginian writes to a Richmond paper that he is opposed to the election of an unmarried man for Governor, and that he would not vote for his own brother were he a bachelor.

At some of the Long Branch hotels the piazzas are carpeted every evening, to the great advantage of ladies with handsome dresses and the great inconvenience of smokers.

Judge Hopkins, of Georgia, has rendered a decision declaring the pardon granted by Governor Conley to Foster Blodgett null and void, the pardon having been granted before a conviction.

The Marchioness de Noailles, Madame Jerome Bonaparte, Mrs. Loring Andrews, Mrs. Colford Jones, Mrs. J. Marion Sims, and Mrs. De Peyster are leaders of the fashion in Newport this season.

An Indiana man, who shot another, and afterward repented, wrote to his victim that if he would only get well he would give him $10,000. The wounded man expressed a willingness to get well at any price.

An old lady in Kinderhook Village, who has been nearly blind for twenty years, has lately recovered her sight completely, and can now thread her needle or read her Bible as easily as she could when only thirty years old.

A little Reading, Penn., boy nine years old, whose mother had refused to take him with her in the cars on a day's visit to a friend living seventeen miles distant, set out and walked the entire distance, accomplishing the jaunt in seven hours. Pluck or willfulness?

Those Texas papers are rapidly working themselves up to white heat. The Galveston *News* starts at the report that Gen. Escobedo is over the border, and says that should this malicious fool venture to cross his ragamuffins into our territory, he might discover the difference between a white man and a lop-eared Indian mongrel.

A Washington dispatch of the 9th ult. says: Private advices received to-day say that Vice President Wilson is soon to undergo a surgical operation which will determine the question whether he will again be able to resume official labors. Unless he has strength to undergo the operation, which the physicians think very doubtful, the chances of his living until the assembling of Congress are very small.

The Cure of Santa Cruz, as he is commonly called in the newspapers, and who is at present attracting so much notice for his activity and ferocity as a Carlist guerrilla leader, in Spain is Manuel Santa Cruz, cure of Hernialde, a small village of Guipuscoa, one of the Basque provinces, and is but thirty-one years old. His acts of cruelty perhaps do not exceed those which have always characterized guerrilla warfare in his country.

OREGON.

Fifteen vessels, with an aggregate tonnage of 3,104 tons, have been built at the ship-yard at North Bend, Coos Bay, since 1856.

The reputation of Coos Bay ship-yards for turning out vessels of good carrying capacity and over average capacity, is fully equal to any on the coast. Sea-going vessels of every rig and class have been built here, as well as at Marshfield and North Bend. The latter place, however, has turned out twice as much tonnage as any other yard on the bay, and is owned by A. M. Simpson & Bros. The durability of their workmanship is well attested by the way the *Arago* has lasted.

By a dispatch from Umatilla we learn that a man named J. Wallace accidentally shot himself, twelve miles above that place, last Tuesday evening. He was preparing to go fishing, and thought he would secrete his Henry rifle in the sage brush before going. While attempting to put his gun in the brush it was discharged, the ball striking him in the face, going entirely through his head, and killing him instantly. A coroner's jury went from Umatilla to hold an inquest, but had not returned at the time our dispatch was sent.

The Coos Bay *News* says: "Two weeks ago, some thirty Chinese laborers arrived here from San Francisco by the steamer *Eastport*, designing to work in the Hardy Coal Mine, opposite North Bend. At the time of their arrival, we anticipated a breeze between them and the Miners' Benevolent Association, but one of the officers of the society said to us: 'Please say nothing about it. They will not stay a month, and when they go away, they'll give the place a black eye. If we seek to drive them off, others will come in their place. Chinamen never yet have been successful as underground laborers, and never will be. All attempts to introduce them in the Nevada silver mines have failed, and this is just as bad on them.' Accordingly, we let the matter most severely alone. The result was just what our friend predicted. In three days' work, the Chinese (twenty was all that ever went into the shaft) had taken out just three tons and a-half of coal in all, and on the fourth day they quit work. Being utterly destitute of money, Capt. R. Simpson has allowed them to work their passage back to San Francisco on the *Oregonian*, which goes out to-day, if the weather will permit. So far as the Coos Bay coal mines are concerned, the Chinese problem is rapidly finding its own solution."

THE TERRITORIES.

There is a population of 1,000 in Silver City, New Mexico.

A soldier named Erastus A. Smith committed suicide at Fort Steele, Wyoming, on Friday, August 1st.

Texas cattle are passing Denver northward every day. Several large herds are now en route to the Laramie plains.

A piece of coal, weighing a ton fell upon a miner at Rock Springs, Wyoming, on Tuesday, and killed him instantly.

Money and women are reported scarce in Granada, the new Colorado town on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road.

The Greeley *Tribune* says that a herd of three hundred California broncho ponies have recently been brought to Colorado from that State.

The Silver City (New Mexico) *Mining Life* complains that mail depredations are committed freely in that Territory. It charges that postmasters open letters *in transitu*.

A teamster was driving oxen near Las Animas, New Mexico, the other day, when a thunder storm came up, and the lightening played peculiar freaks with the animals. The team consisted of four yoke of oxen. The lightning struck and killed the off ox of the lead yoke, both oxen of the next yoke, the near ox of the third yoke, both the wheel oxen and the driver, leaving but two oxen out of eight, and no driver. The owner of the outfit regretted exceedingly the loss of his driver.

The census for 1870 shows that the per centage of improved lands to the total lands in farms in the Territories ranges from 33 to 85 per cent., as follows: Arizona, 33; Colorado, 70; Dakota, 85; Idaho, 63; Montana, 39; New Mexico, 22; Utah, 20; Washington, 70, and Wyoming, 82. The total area of unimproved lands in these Territories is nearly 2,000,000 acres, the largest proportion being in Washington Territory, 457,000 acres; New Mexico, 690,000; Colorado, 224,000, and Dakota, 269,000 acres. Deducting from the aggregate the mountain and swamp lands, there remain at least 1,000,000 acres which are susceptible of reclamation.

LETTER FROM SALEM.

[FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.]

SALEM, August 5, 1873.

Since my last, we have had very quiet times, even for this city of steady habits. One cause of this state of affairs is that everybody in the surrounding country is now busily engaged at harvesting the very abundant crops. For a great many years there have not been as large crops raised in this State as are raised the present season, and I am informed that the prospect for better prices than were received last year is good; and the effect of the same is already perceivable. The free navigation of the Willamette river to your city is a source of congratulation among the yeomanry, and the reduction of freight will allow much more of the production of the valley to be sent to market, and at an earlier day.

THE PORTLAND FIRE

On last Saturday morning, our city was greatly excited by the news of the great calamity that had befallen your city. Although our large fire bell is broken, and therefore we have no means of giving a general alarm, the ringing of the small bell on the engine aroused a portion of our gallant firemen, who responded to the cry for help, and in a few minutes were speeding their way to the

CITY IN FLAMES.

If a general alarm could have been sounded, a hundred and fifty would have gone down instead of thirty. From early morn until noon the telegraph office was thronged with persons trying to obtain news of the fire, and numerous were the reports that went flying about, which grew wonderfully as they progressed from mouth to mouth, but exaggerated as they seemed they were unfortunately too near the truth.

At the present time there is a great deal of attention being paid by our farming community to the new organization known as the

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.

Two Granges have been organized in this vicinity and the order is rapidly being organized in other counties adjacent to this. The general impression at first was that it was a political organization, and a great many surmises were indulged in, as to which party it would coalesce with, and our *small* politicians were laying their wires to capture the institution or join it for the purpose of furthering their personal ambition. But when it was discovered that it was not a political institution many were the castles in the air dispelled.

On next Thursday evening, the

PANORAMA

Of Oregon and Washington Territory, which Col. C. A. Reed has painted, will be exhibited for the first time to the public. I have spoken about this work of art before, and when it is exhibited in your city next week, I am inclined to think your citizens will find it a worthy representation of several of our most noted sceneries, and well worthy of examining.

The weather for the last twenty four hours is well calculated to make many of the farmers feel uneasy, as it threatens to rain.

Mr. Parrott, a young artist of this city, is now finishing a large painting of

MT. RAINIER,

For a gentleman in your city, which will prove quite an ornament to his place of business, as well as reflect considerable credit on the gentleman who has spent so much labor and time on the same. It will be on exhibition at a large stationery store for a few days in your city.

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A FINE SUIT OF FURNISHED ROOMS SUITABLE for a gentleman and wife, or [illegible] gentlemen, with or without board. Apply at No. 1, Semple's Block, corner of Washington and East Park streets. jy16tf

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THURSDAY MORNING AUGUST 7 1873

HOW ABOUT REBUILDING?

During yesterday we conversed with a large number of persons on the subject of the acceptance of aid tendered for the relief of those who have been reduced to want by the fire, and we find but one voice on the subject It appears to be the unanimous sentiment that the offers of aid thus far received from abroad contemplate only the urgent wants of the sufferers and not the re-establishing of the business of the city Charity proposes to see to it that none of those who have lost home or employment shall lack the common comforts of life But when the question of enabling the unfortunate to rebuild their houses and reopen their stocks comes up for consideration, it must come as a question of business It may be, it ought to be and indeed it will be largely affected by consideration of the character and circumstances of the person who is in need of assistance A man who has been energetic and industrious and prudent withal, but who is so badly crippled by the fire that he can not go on without help, will [illegible] one who has not exhibited these qualities and qualifications in the past Such men will be shown favor and will receive aid when others would not. But after all, it is not a charity but a business transaction, and will be so treated

The demand for relief from actual suffering, unless the committees are greatly out of the way, does not make it necessary to raise so large a sum as was at first supposed. Doubtless cases not yet known will need attention, but it is hoped the emergency will not prove too great for the resources and generosity of our people.

If any means could be devised to secure a loan of some hundreds of thousands of of dollars at lower rates than those that prevail here, to be distributed among those who desire to rebuild, and who have not the means of doing so, it would be a great assistance to them and to the city Whether such a thing is practicable, we have but a very imperfect idea, but it would seem possible that persons in other sections of the Union who have money to lend, and can get only six or seven per cent. per annum for it, might be induced, upon a thorough representation of the value of real estate securities here, to allow their capital to be brought here at say eight or nine per cent Money thus sent here might be placed in the hands of some one or more competent gentlemen of our city, to be loaned only upon their being satisfied with the security offered, and only to those who have [illegible] could be safely invested in that manner, and so invested as to be a great blessing to those who by rebuilding protect their property Anything of this kind, however, if practicable, must depend in a large degree upon the individual efforts of those who are directly interested

Meanwhile, however, to the extent of the unemployed capital now in the city, we have reason to believe there will be no disposition to withhold means from persons who wish to rebuild or to resume business Some, we know, have already made satisfactory arrangements, and we hear of others who are rapidly perfecting similar negotiations.

A PROFITABLE QUARREL

Mr Frederick S. Winston and Mr Sheppard Homans are engaged in the fragrant task of airing the soiled linen of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, before an interested audience of policy holders. The former is the president and the latter has been actuary of that company It is reasonably apparent [illegible] Winston's [illegible] Homans's character He thinks it isn't symmetrical, not as symmetrical, at any rate, as an insurance agent's character should be On the other hand, Homans avers that he has enjoyed an intimate acquaintance with Winston, and he is free to maintain that Frederick's character isn't just such a perfect periphery of virtues, all of which are equidistant from a common center of average honesty as holders of Mutual Life policies may believe.

We infer these things from numerous newspaper articles recently published by the belligerents. Winston tells a reporter that Homans was discharged because of his "unfaithfulness, incompetency, obstinacy, impracticability and insubordination," while Homans plainly insinuates that his adversary is a thief, and that he (deponent) was discharged because he wouldn't add the functions of a Garvey to his duties as actuary, by auditing enormous and fraudulent bills He matches Winston's polysyllabic denunciation with the brisk asseveration that W is a liar, and concludes that he (W) dislikes him because he (H) gave testimony before an assembly committee under the compulsory process of subpœna, in an investigation which [illegible] in his (W.'s) conviction of malfeasance in office or the unwarranted use of trust funds by him, and fraudulent attempts at concealment of his conduct by false and altered entries in the books of the company

This is an interesting quarrel It is to be hoped that the combatants will not lay down their arms until the public, the party most interested shall have heard the 'peccavi' of one or both We know nothing about the merits of the dispute but we are prepared to believe both of the disputants To an unprejudiced observer, it looks very much like a case of pot calling kettle black

We have carefully examined the report of the proceedings in Chicago in connection with the distribution of the funds contributed for the relief of the sufferers of the great fire and find there is not a shadow of a foundation for the ridiculous stories circulated here during Monday and Tuesday to the effect that such funds were used in rebuilding the city The only buildings constructed were temporary shelters to shield the sufferers from the winter storms, and these were only constructed when it was impossible to find houses enough to hold all the 90 000 homeless people We should scarcely have thought it necessary to mention this ridiculous story had it not been very extensively told on the streets

The Republican State Central Committee will meet this evening at Eugene City

NEVER SURRENDERS BUT DIES HABITUALLY

The Ohio State Democratic Convention has a Chairman who is evidently endowed with a most sanguine temperament besides wearing rose-colored spectacles At the opening of that body, says the dispatch, he made remarks to the effect that the future of the Democracy looked bright and blooming and closing his inspiring speech with the sententious and almost classic declaration The old guard dies but never surrenders" This certainly sounds well It is almost Napoleonic But in the light of the last couple of years history one is forced to regard the pungent aphorism as a good joke Our recollection is that the "old guard" as by that euphonious appellation the Democratic party is intended did surrender most completely at the Baltimore National Convention, where the handful of Liberal Republicans captured the entire organization and carried it off And as to the old guard's habit of dying mentioned by this cheerful integer of the ancient concern we are equally in doubt Sometimes it appears to die and superficial people such as we Republicans at cherish the fond delusion that it is dead but it has always turned, thus far that instead of dying it has only lain still long enough to divert attention while it turns its coat

SEARCHING FOR THE LOST

The welcome announcement is at last made that a revenue cutter has gone to search for the lost passengers of the steamer *Geo S Wright*, which was wrecked in the Northern seas last winter It is useless to speculate upon the probable results of this expedition, but it is a consolation especially to the friends of those on board the ill starred vessel, to have a thorough and systematic search made for them or for traces that may lead to some more definite idea of their fate than that heretofore obtained. There is probably little hope entertained by any person of the restoration of the lost ones, but the painful mystery that hangs over their fate may be penetrated by this expedition

Senator Mat. Gaines, of Texas, is a Democrat and a bigamist—as the late Mr Greeley would say He married too many wives by one The people of Texas have incarcerated him for one year By way of postscript Matthew was a *State* senator

Hereafter at the end of every fiscal year the Duke of Edinburgh will pocket the handsome little sum of $125 000 out of the revenues of the British Kingdom The bill granting this annuity, which has been before the House of Commons for some time, came up on the first of August on its third reading Sir Charles Dilke made a long speech against the grant Gladstone replied with bitterness, characterizing the persistent opposition to the bill as indecent Mundella, member for Birmingham protested against the epithet 'indecent' and Gladstone withdrew the offensive expression Newdegate asked if the marriage would be solemnized according to the form of the Church of England Gladstone distinctly and absolutely declined to answer the question The struggle over the bill was short but very bitter Anderson member for Glasgow moved an amendment providing that in the event of the Duke of Edinburgh succeeding to the Grand Duchy of Saxe-Coburg the annuity cease. After further debate the amendment was withdrawn and the bill passed So it is that Hyde Park and Bristol demonstration are forever ending in words Albert takes his £25,000 and the Commons can whistle for their money "Rule Britania!"

The County Judge declined to grant the order legalizing the former acts of our Senator under his assumed name, as prayed for and the Senator had to content himself with the order provided by law, simply changing his name to Mitchell

MEETING OF THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The Republican State Central Committee will meet at EUGENE CITY, on THURSDAY THE 7TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1873 at 7 30 o clock P. M. to arrange for the approaching election of a member of Congress to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon. J G Wilson and for such other business as may be deemed proper A full attendance of the members of the Committee is desired.

C W PARRISH Chairman

Portland, July 14 1873

G. A. R.—Baker Post No. 1.—Regular meeting every Thursday evening at Nonpareil Hall corner First and Madison streets All comrades in good standing invited to attend By order of

POST COMMANDER

Harmony Lodge, No 12, A F & A. M.—Regular Communications on the Second and Fourth Monday evening of each month By order of the W. M.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o clock in Odd Fellows Temple corner First and Alder streets Members of the Order are invited to attend By order of N G

Samaritan Lodge No 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner of First and Alder streets, Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G

DIED.

At East Portland August 4th Frank M Young a native of Austria, aged 5[illegible] years.

Funeral will take place at 3 o clock this P M Members of the German Aid Society and friends are invited to attend

On Wednesday afternoon August 6th Maria Willett aged 10 years

Funeral to morrow afternoon from her late residence corner Fourth and Washington street at o clock Friends of the family invited to attend

Wednesday evening August 6th Hester Merrick adopted daughter of Ross and June B Merrick aged 17 years.

Funeral services will take place at the Unitarian Church Friday morning at 11 o clock Friends of the family invited to attend

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SALE OF STOCK

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT IN PURSUANCE of a trust with which I am charged for the benefit of C. M Carter Esq I will on Tuesday the 19th day of August A D 1873 at the Court House door in the city of Portland, Multnomah county Oregon at the hour of 1 o clock P M proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for gold coin cash in hand certificates No 80 and 81 for sixty seven shares each of the capital stock of the South Portland Real Estate Association or so much thereof as may be necessary to realize the sum of seven thousand two hundred and sixty one dollars in United States gold coin with interest thereon at one per cent per month since the 24th day of July A D 1873, due the said C M Carter from R J Ladd and A J Knott, together with costs and expenses of making such sale.

W C JOHNSON Trustee

Dated Portland Aug 6 1873 aug7d1st

Artists' Sale

of

OIL PAINTINGS.

I will sell at Armory Hall Stark St between First and Second on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 14th,

At 10 o clock A M

110 OIL PAINTINGS,

By many Celebrated European and American Artists the whole forming a combination of Talent seldom offered at public auction

Among this superb Collection will be found Gems from the easels of De V[illegible] Etter [illegible] H Hill Meyer S T Remington John I [illegible] Jane M Hart Rosa [illegible] B Kreutzer Barker Wasserman Wilmot Wm Shinzel Stripler J W M Turner Caval the Tubry W A C Frerichs Carnier and others of equal eminence

The whole forming a splendid Gallery of itself The attention of connoisseurs and lovers of fine arts is particularly called to this sale

The Paintings will be opened for public inspection on MONDAY Aug 11th TUESDAY Aug 12th WEDNESDAY Aug 13th day and night until day of sale

Catalogues can be obtained at the Armory Hall N. B—Ladies are respectfully invited to attend this sale

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OF

Household Furniture.

I will sell on the premises cor Sixth and Oak st

On TUESDAY, AUG 12th

At 10 o clock A M

FARLOR FURNITURE

One Fine Rosewood Sofa
[illegible] Easy Chair
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[illegible] What Not
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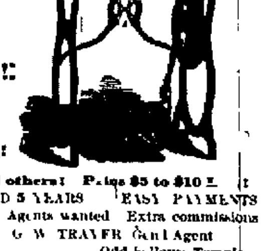

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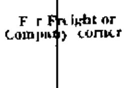

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, [illegible]

At 10 o clock A. M.

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75 chests JAPAN TEA,
2 chests BLACK TEA,
100 bxs SOAP
25 hf bbls SUGAR
100 bxs SMOKED HERRING,
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50 bxs TOILET SOAP,
100 kegs S F SYRUP
100 bxs PEARL BARLEY,
25 bxs SAGO
100 cases ASSORTED PIE [illegible]
10 cases TURTLE SOUP,
[illegible] cases CONDENSED MILK
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SPECIAL SA[illegible]

OF

Valuable Business Pro[illegible]

I will sell at my Auction [illegible]

SATURDAY, AUGUST [illegible]

At 10 o clock, A. M.

The fractional part of Block 112, (DISTILLERY BLOCK) co[illegible] west corner of said block, thence [illegible] foty (40) feet; thence east to low [illegible] south forty (40) feet, thence west to the [illegible] ginning

ALSO

Fractional part of Block 112, (40) feet from the southwest [illegible] thence running north forty-two (42) [illegible] to low water mark thence [illegible] thence west to place of beg[illegible] large two and a half story BRICK WA[illegible]

ALSO,

The fractional part of [illegible] eighty two feet from the [illegible] block thence running north [illegible] thence east to low water mark [illegible] one (41) feet; thence west to [illegible] Together with one story BRICK and [illegible] HOUSE.

Title perfect. Terms, one half [illegible] twelve months, deferred pay[illegible] mortgage on the premises, with [illegible] of one per cent per month

The above described [illegible] N P T Co's steamship wharves, [illegible] ferry landing, and is also near the [illegible] and wagon road bridge

N. B.—Parties desiring to [illegible] NASS PROPERTY are particularly [illegible] tend this sale.

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RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R.

DAILY TRAINS WILL RUN [illegible]

PORTLAND AND ROS[illegible]

As follows

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	8:15 A. M.	R[illegible]	
Roseburg	5:15 A. M.	Portland	

Freight Trains (with [illegible] daily (Sunday [illegible]

PORTLAND AND JUNCTION

As follows

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	8:05 A. M.	Junction	
Junction	8:00 A. M.	Portland	

Close connections are made at the St[illegible] of the Oregon and Califor[illegible] pany

Tickets for sale at all the principal [illegible] gon, California and the East at C[illegible]

Cor. F and Front Sts., at P[illegible]

PORTLAND,

Storage will be charged on [illegible] Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for [illegible] o clock, P M. J C. HILDRETH, G[illegible]

E. P. RO[illegible]
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The Oregon Central R. R.

WILL ON AND AFTER [illegible]NDAY, 1873 and until further notice, run AND PASSENGER TRAINS from

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Connecting at Cornelius with [illegible] Grove at St. Joseph for all points Sa[illegible] Lafayette, McMinnville Amity, Monmouth pendence Buena Vista and Corvallis

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	8:00 A M	St. Joseph	
St. Joseph	12:00 M	Portland	

On SUNDAYS trains will run as follows

Portland	8:00 A M	St. Joseph	
St. Joseph	2:00 P M	Portland	

Passengers received at Fourth street [illegible] signaling the train

Freight received at the Portland Wareh[illegible] Dock Company's Wharf, and will not be [illegible] for shipment after 5 P M

H. THIELSEN, G[illegible]
J GASTON Freight and P[illegible]ger A[illegible]

NOTICE.

OREGON AND CALIFORNIA R.

A DAILY SPECIAL EXPRESS TRAIN commence running on Sunday June 8, 18[illegible] tween SALEM and PORTLAND stopping [illegible] waukie Oregon City Aurora and C[illegible]

TIME AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Salem	6 15 A. M	Portland	[illegible]
Portland	4 45 P M	Salem	7 15

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Be sure your Tickets read via Rock I[illegible]

A. M. SMI[illegible]
General Passenger Agent, C[illegible]
HUGH RIDDLE General Sup't, Chicago
WM R STEELE Passenger Agent, San [illegible]

ZAN BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

BROOMS, BRUSH[illegible]

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Front Street, between Oak and [illegible]

Opposite old stand.

Wanted—Broom Co[illegible]

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FURNITURE REPAIRED ON REASON[illegible]

TERMS

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The Daily [illegible]

THURSDAY MOR[illegible]

SACRED RELICS.—M[illegible] is now in this city an[illegible] from a tour around th[illegible] yesterday a number [illegible] were collected by hi[illegible] cially while sojourni[illegible] He has a miniature r[illegible] ra's Needle made of [illegible] needle is about one fo[illegible] a half square at the [illegible] faithful imitation of [illegible] has all the hyroglyp[illegible] graved on the sides. [illegible] small ivory c[illegible] and [illegible] he obtained in Bethleh[illegible] of stone picked up fr[illegible] and several pieces of [illegible] the exhumed city of P[illegible] possessor of many [illegible] highly prized curio[illegible] cnt portions of this [illegible] was the the[illegible] of [illegible] corded in [illegible] ed histor[illegible] of very ancient coins [illegible] Among those we were [illegible] "Widow's Mite" [illegible]'s Penny [illegible] coin, something less [illegible] which is [illegible] common[illegible] "Widow's mite is valu[illegible] tieth of a cent, and is m[illegible] "Cæsar's Penny" is ma[illegible] and is valued at a few c[illegible] lated On both sides it [illegible] superscription" of the g[illegible] shown by the [illegible] box elaborately carved a[illegible] box was procured fro[illegible] Chinese wall and is mad[illegible] of China. It is wonde[illegible] highly prized curiosity [illegible] addition to the above cu[illegible] numerous photograph[illegible] Egypt, Palestine and As[illegible]

F[illegible] OF FIRE A[illegible] formed by Mr. C W Re[illegible] this city, that he was ya[illegible] the Chief Engineer to ta[illegible] had been left in this city [illegible] from Salem, to the [illegible] the river. He took the [illegible] went aboard the ferry bo[illegible] Company at the foot of [illegible] ing, he was asked for h[illegible] formed the collector tha[illegible] him there would probabl[illegible] fe[illegible] at the [illegible] ti[illegible] ductor the card [illegible] to Capital Engine Compa[illegible] ing the conductor also, [illegible] had no money. Where[illegible] told that if he had told [illegible] aboard, he would have be[illegible] the river, and that he ha[illegible] Mr Knott's ferry and cr[illegible] he could not [illegible] on th[illegible] boat, unless he paid his f[illegible] nard came up the river [illegible] [illegible] at the Stark st. [illegible]

WHOLLY M[illegible]—[illegible] ferring to the appointing [illegible] smith, P. C. Schuyler an[illegible] committee to [illegible] in adj[illegible] [illegible] of the fire, [illegible] [illegible] tion to [illegible] with the Board of [illegible] man, rich or poor, [illegible] to save the [illegible] [illegible] quainted with [illegible] acquainted with [illegible] could be of [illegible] the [illegible]

A [illegible] building [illegible] by [illegible] Saturday [illegible] sic value is [illegible] to the [illegible] is not, and [illegible] will [illegible] This much [illegible] furniture [illegible] be ex[illegible] and is at all [illegible] that time he has [illegible] the brancer of the old [illegible] the narrow [illegible] old [illegible] highly p[illegible] by Mr. A W [illegible]

OUT AGAIN.—The [illegible] learn that Mr. Thos. John[illegible] Col [illegible] No. 2 [illegible] was [illegible] the [illegible] fire on last [illegible] get around [illegible] since the [illegible] Although he was [illegible] injuries that he was [illegible] One side of his face was [illegible] hurt, his shoulder and hea[illegible] right leg [illegible] he has recovered [illegible] had reason for believing [illegible] week he will be able to co[illegible] less he should [illegible] with a[illegible] dent.

FINE OIL PAINTING.—Mr [illegible] man has just o[illegible] 18x14 inches. The [illegible] expanse of country stretchin[illegible] to the hills [illegible] view [illegible] Hill Portland, [illegible] (Portla[illegible] can be [illegible] the city, and [illegible] ness that they can be [illegible] The Columbia and Walla[illegible] as they [illegible] timber on the way to the [illegible] fine artistic effect.

GENEROUSLY T[illegible]—[illegible] of Nonpareil Hall, at the c[illegible] and First streets, Baker Pos[illegible] prived of a place of [illegible] state of affairs the Good Temp[illegible] tion have generously tende[illegible] use of their hall for the pr[illegible] a meeting of Baker Post w[illegible] hall corner of Third and A[illegible] sharp.

NEW MUSIC.—Mr. Geo L. [illegible] received from the house of [illegible] Francisco, a new piece of [illegible] "Learning to Walk." The m[illegible] by Stephen M[illegible] (Jo[illegible] ville,) and the words are [illegible] Cooper Words and music [illegible] Mrs. Romualda Pacheco T[illegible] was sung by Madame Bishop [illegible]

SHIPMENT OF TREASURE [illegible] shipped from Wells, Fargo & [illegible] ing the month of July the fol[illegible] of treasure Currency, gold [illegible] $65 510 90, gold coin, $80,72[illegible] 605 60 total $218,839 05.

VISITING COMMITTEE.—The [illegible] Committee appointed last eve[illegible] lief Committee, will meet th[illegible] Northrup and Thompson's h[illegible] 9 o clock All members shou[illegible]

CONTRIBUTION.—Rev T L[illegible] ceived from St Louis a cont[illegible] hundred dollars, the amount [illegible] he deems proper to the aid o[illegible] fered by the late disastrous fir[illegible]

MORE AID.—Mr J C Meuss[illegible] Francisco, telegraphed yesterda[illegible] in this city to contribute $100[illegible] sufferers on his account.

TO MEET.—The Disbursing [illegible] hold a meeting this day at 1 o[illegible] Ladd & Tilton's Bank A ful[illegible] desired

REMOVALS

Kohn Bros have opened thei[illegible] ness for the present on Carte[illegible] foot of Alder street.

C Beal, attorney at law wil[illegible] at the corner of First and Was[illegible] over Put Smith's Broker

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THURSDAY MORNING AUGUST 7 1873

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SACRED RELICS.—Mr William O Clark who is now in this city and who recently returned from a tour around the globe exhibited to us yesterday a number of sacred relics which were collected by him during his tour especially while sojourning in the Holy Land He has a miniature representation of Cleopatra's Needle made of plaster of paris. This needle is about one foot long and an inch and a half square at the base It is a true and faithful imitation of the original Needle and has all the hyeroglyphics pictures etc engraved on the sides Mr Clark also has a small ivory cross and a pearl bracelet which he obtained in Bethlehem of Judea fragments of stone picked up from the ruins of Balbec and several pieces of mosaic work taken from the exhumed city of Pompeii He is also the possessor of many other interesting and highly prized curiosities gathered from different portions of this wonderful land which was the theater of so many scenes recorded in sacred history He has a number of very ancient coins many of which are circulated among the people of the present day Among those we were shown the "Widow's Mite" Cæsar's Penny and a very small gold coin something less in value than a dollar which is very common in Jerusalem The "Widow's mite" is valued at about one-twentieth of a cent, and is made of alloyed copper Cæsar's Penny is made of the same material and is valued at a few cents where it is circulated On both sides it bears the image and superscription of the great Roman We were shown by the same gentleman a small wooden box elaborately carved and ornamented. This box was procured from beyond the great Chinese wall and is made of the sacred wood of China It is wonderfully made and is a highly prized curiosity of workmanship In addition to the above curiosities Mr Clark has numerous photographic views of the ruins in Egypt, Palestine and Asia

FERRIAGE OF FIRE APPARATUS.—We are informed by Mr C W Reynard a drayman of this city that he was yesterday authorized by the Chief Engineer to take some hose which had been left in this city by the fire company from Salem, to the depot on the east side of the river He took the hose on his dray and went aboard the ferry boat of the O. & C R R Company at the foot of I street While crossing, he was asked for his fare when he informed the collector that Mr Bruen had told him there would probably be no charge for ferriage at the same time showing the conductor the card attached to the hose addressed to Capital Engine Company Salem, and telling the conductor also, that he (Reynard) had no money Whereupon Reynard was told that if he had told that before coming aboard, he would have been left on this side of the river and that he had better come up to Mr Knott's ferry and cross on his return, as he could not cross on the O & C R R Co's boat unless he paid his ferriage So Mr Reynard came up the river on the east side and crossed at the Stark street ferry

WHOLLY MISTAKEN.—A contemporary referring to the appointment of Messrs B Goldsmith, P C Schuyler and O B Gibson as a committee to assist in adjusting the insurance losses of the fire, says "The object of this committee is to furnish all necessary information to persons holding policies, and to sit with the Board of Adjusters to see that every man, rich or poor, receives his just due and to save the sufferers from being bled by lawyers or swindled by companies." We are requested to state that the idea of dishonest dealing, either by the insurance companies or the lawyers, never entered into the minds of those who had this committee appointed and this statement of its object is wholly unauthorized. The sole purpose in view was, that these committee men, being themselves acquainted with insurance matters and also well acquainted with most of the insured premises could be of service both to the insurers and the insured in the adjustment of the losses.

A HEIR LOOM SAVED.—Among the articles of furniture rescued from the flames from the building occupied by Abernethy & Co., on last Saturday was an old rocking chair No intrinsic value is attached to the chair, but extra exertions were made to save the piece of furniture on account of the cherished associations connected with it The exact age of the chair is not, and perhaps will never be known This much is known concerning the age of the furniture—It was brought around Cape Horn by ex-Governor Abernethy in the year 1839, and is at all events over 34 years of age Since that time he has kept the chair as a remembrancer of the old pioneer days In view of the narrow escape from total destruction this old piece of furniture will be all the more highly prized by Mr Abernethy

OUT AGAIN.—The public will be pleased to learn that Mr Thos Johnston Foreman of Columbian No 3, who was so badly injured at the disastrous fire on last Saturday is able to get around again Yesterday for the first time since the accident, he appeared on the streets. Although he was severely injured it is almost miraculous that he was not killed outright. One side of his face was burned, one hand hurt his shoulder and head bruised and the right leg narrowly escaped being broken. But he has recovered much sooner than his friends had reason for believing In the course of a week he will be able to commence work unless he should meet with an unexpected accident

FINE OIL PAINTING.—Mr Edmund T Coleman has just completed a splendid oil painting 18x14 inches The view represents Mount St Helens and Mount Adams and all that vast expanse of country stretching from their bases to the hills west and south of this city The view was taken from the summit of Marquam's Hill Portland, East Portland and Vancouver can be seen distinctly, and with such correctness that they can be recognized at a glance The Columbia and Wallamet rivers can be seen as they wind down through the stretch of timber on the way to the sea It is a very fine artistic effort.

GENEROUSLY TENDERED.—By the destruction of Nonpareil Hall, at the corner of Madison and First streets, Baker Post G A R, are deprived of a place of meeting In view of this state of affairs the Good Templar Hall Association have generously tendered the Post the use of their hall for the present This evening a meeting of Baker Post will be held at the hall corner of Third and Alder at 8 o'clock sharp

NEW MUSIC.—Mr Geo L DePrans has just received from the house of Mr Gray, of San Francisco, a new piece of music entitled "Learning to Walk" The music is composed by Stephen Massett (Jeems Pipes of Pipesville,) and the words are written by Geo Cooper Words and music are dedicated to Mrs Romualdo Pacheco This musical gem was sung by Madame Bishop with great success.

SHIPMENT OF TREASURE.—There has been shipped from Wells Fargo & Co's office during the month of July the following amounts of treasure Currency gold notes or bonds $65 540 96 gold coin $89 722 50 coin $63 605 60 total $218,839 05

VISITING COMMITTEE.—The members of this committee appointed last evening by the Relief Committee, will meet this morning at Northrup and Thompson's hardware store at 9 o'clock All members should be present

CONTRIBUTION.—Rev T L Eliot has received from St Louis a contribution of five hundred dollars, the amount to be applied as he deems proper to the aid of those who suffered by the late disastrous fire

MORE AID.—Mr J C Meussdorffer of San Francisco telegraphed yesterday to his brother in this city to contribute $100 to the relief of sufferers on his account

TO MEET.—The Disbursing Committee will hold a meeting this day at 1 o'clock P. M at Ladd & Tilton's Bank A full attendance is desired

REMOVALS

Kohn Bros have opened their place of business for the present on Carter's wharf, at the foot of Alder street.

C Beal attorney at law will open his office at the corner of First and Washington streets, over Put Smith's Broker

MEETING OF RELIEF COMMITTEE

An adjourned meeting of the Relief Committee was held last evening, at the office of W S Ladd for the purpose of hearing the reports of the sub-committees which had been appointed to canvass the several districts of the city to solicit aid for the sufferers The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr W S Ladd Mr C W Parrish acting as Secretary

The President stated that the first thing in order would be to hear in detail the reports of the several committees and ascertain how much funds had been collected

Mr I White from the First Ward came forward and stated that they had succeeded in raising in the ward he was appointed to canvass the sum of $3,014 50 He was of the opinion that a larger sum of money could be collected in that ward from the fact that a number of persons who would doubtless contribute to the aid of the sufferers were absent and that the committee had no opportunity of calling on them

Mr Wasserman desired to have the names of contributors read off before the meeting, and also to have them published in the daily papers There being no objections made to Mr Wasserman's suggestion Mr White proceeded to read the names of those who had contributed from the

FIRST WARD

M T Cunningham	$ 5 00	I Saunders	$ 00
A C Cunningham	20 00	Heber	10 00
F R Rochtls	00	Sac Tc Bros	10 00
Geo A James	50 00	W Drake	1 00
J Hildrith	10 00	W Healy	00
G W Roberts	5 00	M Irvin	20 00
I R Moores	10 00	M Steel	00
C B Moores	10 00	J W Cook	100 00
Cash	10 00	J Lancaster	10 00
John K Hy	0	B Barrett	00
H Saxer		C Witt & Mackay	10 00
Capt Harlow	5 00	I White & Co	20 00
J H Marshall	00	A J Ankeny	20 00
C Ainsley	5 00	R R Thompson	100 00
J L Davidson	5 00	Thos Wygant	10 00
D M Moore	2 50	Dr Gisellin	10 00
R M DeHuff	5 00	G Dsmith & Lowen-	
H W Scott	20 00	berg	20 00
F N Shurtley	10 00	Hotaling & Co	50 00
Cash	10 00	Laidlaw & Co	100 00
J D DuBois	00	Raffin	10 00
J McCraken & Co	100 00	H Rosenfeld & Co	5 00
Howard Salsen	1 00	Gen Jeff C Davis	10 00
Cen Bachelder	10 00	J Clark	5 00
J R Dawson	10 00	A A Cohn	10 00
Wm Young	5 00	C H Comstock	10 00
Millard & Van		I Brooke	10 00
Schuyver	50 00	S M Lyon	10 00
J Kraemer & Co	10 00	H T Hitchcock	10 00
Jacobs Bros	10 00	Dr Gilsan	20 00
S Sherlock	25 00	P Wasserman	100 00
Davis & Schuyler	100 00	Wagner Bros.	2 50
J B Congle	10 00	J Broden	5 0
Hawley Dodd & Co	100 00	L Goldsmith & Co	20 00
Everding & Beebe	50 00	O'Connor & Malarky	25 00
Geo W Hoyt	20 00	C W Knowles	50 00
L S Rosenbaum	25 00	I K Gill & Co	25 00
Telegraph operators	10 00	R Van Fridagh	20 00
M Seller	10 00	J Gabens	5 00
C C Barrett	5 00	Miller & Acker	10 00
N Wolf	5 00	I Goodnough	5 00

Mr S Hirsch from the Second Ward read the following names of contributors in that district

SECOND WARD

Henry Failing	1 000 00	Cash	1 00
L Fleischner & Co	200 00	J Bloom	5 00
Walter Bros	100 00	Barr & Kingsley	4 00
Hodge, Calef & Co,	100 00	J Levy	20 00
Unitarian Church	70 50	Buchanan	5 00
Fishel & Roberts	20 00	Daly	7
J Kohn & Co	25 00	Chung Ye Laing	5 00
J C Meussdorffer	100 00	E Shattuck	5 00
Allsky & Hegele	50 00	W Watkins,	5 00
Dolph & Bronaugh	100 00	I Donnerberg	5 00
B L Stone	50 00	Northrup & Thomp-	
C A Tilsch	50 00	son	100 00
Cash	3 50	Captain B F Smith	50 00
M Franklin	10 00	S Denler	2 00
Beck & Son	5 00	John Wilson	5 00
Harris & Prager	5 00	George L Cole	20 00
E D Backenstos	10 00	W L C	5 00
Church & Son	25 00	E G Harvey	50 00
L C Henrichsen	25 00	H L Hoyt	30 00
Cash	2 00	Dr Hatch	20 00
W C Gaston	5 00	H Porter	2 50
G W Lesson	5 00	W O Bruen	5 00
J O Neil & Co	5 00	Wa Kee	1 00
Cash	5 00	Duck Lung	2 00
E. Milwain	20 00	Quinn	10 00
Labbe Bros	75 00	Reivier	2 50
A Roberts	5 00	A Carr	20 00
Cash	2 50	J Blum	30 00
W P Doland	5 00	S Blumauer	25 00
Selig	5 00	S D Smith	10 00

Mr. C. W Parrish reported as follows from the

THIRD WARD.

W S Ladd	2000 00	H. Garling	15 00
E. Corbett	20 00	J M Caywood	50 00
Cash	20 00	J A Waters	2 00
Cash	2 20	A. E. Borthwick	5 00
Mrs. S. O. L. Potter	2 50	Cash	4 00
Mrs. J. B. Price	2 50	W. H. Harris	10 00
Cash	2 50	Bishop Morris	50 00
E. D Shattuck	2 50	Mrs. Saxton	2 50
Dr J R. Cardwell	5 00	Mrs. Bancroft	2 50
Mrs. Robbins (widow)	50	Mrs. Young	1 00
Miss Richards	1 00	Mrs O P Mason	5 00
Woodcock & Co	5 00	Cash	2 50
L. Lewis	50	J L Atkinson	25 00
Cash	50	O N Denny	20 00
C R. Hoffman	15 00	Cash	50
Cash	20 00	F K Arnold	5 00
W W Upton	20 00	J P O Lownsdale	20 00
C B Comstock	5 00	Buchtel & Stolte	150 00
Chas Holman	5 00		

The amounts collected stand as follows

First Ward	$3 014 50
Second Ward	1,548 00
Third Ward	2,840 00

The above amounts together with sums collected from all sources aggregate the sum of eight thousand four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents

Mr Ladd stated that several other prominent men were yet to hear from The above sum would doubtless be swelled to ten thousand in a few days more

The President also stated that Mr A. C Murray had written to him (Mr Ladd) to the effect that he had four houses which were at present unoccupied These buildings were tendered to any families which were rendered homeless

Mr C H Woodard had offered to furnish all medicines which might be required, to the committee whenever needed

Capt Ankeny moved that a committee consisting of six persons to be known as the Disbursing Committee be appointed by the President. It should be the duty of this committee to receive the money collected and apply the same to the relief of such persons as were in need No instructions or recommendations were to be made to the Disbursing Committee In all things they were to exercise discretionary powers As such committee, the President appointed the following gentlemen Messrs W S Caldwell Charles Holman, Rev T L Eliot A B Hallock T M Richardson and P Wasserman

In response to suggestions made by Captain Ankeny Mr Parrish moved that a Visiting Committee of four persons be appointed whose duty was to visit the burnt district and ascertain the names of each person who had sustained losses and also the *condition* of all such persons and to report the same at once to the Disbursing Committee who would attend immediately to the wants of such needy ones

The President appointed the following gentlemen to act as such Committee Messrs Thomas Frazer H H Carpenter L Frank and L Love The Committee will begin work this morning

Mr Wasserman introduced the following resolution which was adopted

Resolved That our citizens be and are requested to report to the Disbursing Committee consisting of Messrs. W S Caldwell, Chas Holman P Wasserman Rev T L Eliot T M Richardson A B Hallock and Gen Babbitt or to W S Ladd Chairman of the Relief Committee the names of all persons who are destitute and in need of assistance that by so doing the committee will give such cases immediate attention

The meeting then adjourned to meet again to-morrow evening at the same place at 7 30 o'clock

OFFERS FOR RELIEF FROM ABROAD

The following telegram was received yesterday by Mayor Failing

SAN FRANCISCO August 6 1873

Henry Failing Esq Mayor Portland Bark *Webfoot* is now receiving freight for Portland All donations for sufferers by fire transported free

J D MORRISON & CO

The first week's subscription to the Washington Headquarters fund reaches nearly $15,000 Among the leading new subscribers are Secretary Robeson Hon Amos Clark Walter Phelps Jacob Vanatta George Danforth and Senator Cutler The Historical Society will hold its September meeting at the headquarters and take possession with appropriate ceremonies

SOME people may become excited over the terminus of the Northern Pacific Railroad on Puget Sound but it does not disturb Beck & Waldman corner Front and Washington streets in the least as they intend to pursue the same course to their customers and that is to sell goods at prices which will enable those with limited means to provide themselves with good clothing at every small outlay of money Parents should bring their children to this house for neat fitting suits

Why linger in blissful ignorance Why do you wander about seeking a place where they keep the largest and finest stock of Summer Clothing? Why pay high prices for goods when the fact has been long established that the great firm of J KOHN & Co 91 Front street sell Clothing and Furnishing Goods so cheap They keep the best they sell the cheapest and what more can be asked

COMMON COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING AUGUST 6 1873

The Common Council of the city of Portland met pursuant to adjournment His Honor Mayor H Failing presiding

Present—W S Caldwell Clerk J. B Wiley ex officio Chief of Police Councilmen Besser Burton Caywood Hall Hart Lyon Moreland and Russell

Absent—Councilman Story

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved

MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

The following message from His Honor the Mayor was then read

To the Honorable the Common Council The circumstances of the fire with which our city was visited on Saturday last is a proper subject of report to you which I beg to submit in brief form

At an early hour it soon after became evident that the fire was getting beyond control I telegraphed to the authorities of Vancouver Oregon City Salem and Albany for aid These calls were promptly responded to and engines from the three former places arrived and rendered most valuable service The Albany Department notified me of their readiness to start so soon as a special train could be dispatched for them The very efficient aid rendered by the Fire Departments of our neighboring cities has been acknowledged by the public press and I submit letters expressing the gratitude of our citizens have been addressed to the authorities of the respective cities

I have also addressed suitable letters of acknowledgement as follows

To General Jefferson C Davis commanding the Military Department, for troops ordered hither while the fire was raging and ready for any emergency

To the officers of the Oregon and California Railroad Co for dispatching a special lightning train from Salem with the Fire Department of that city

To the agent of the Oregon Steamship Company for services rendered by the officers and crew of the steamer *E N Cooke* Copies of the letters referred to are hereto annexed

The conduct of the officers and men of the Fire Department merits our highest commendation and as you were all witnesses of their exertions to stay the ravages of the fire it seems unnecessary to say more than that they earned the gratitude and praise of all

The several companies of State Militia tendered their services to guard property were on duty until a special police force was detailed in the evening and merit our thanks for this service

I am personally indebted to Maj H M Robert U S Engineers Chief Engineer Bruen Foreman A H Hallock of the Fire Department members of the Council and City Auditor, for valuable aid and counsel

I also desire to make special mention of the hearty co-operation of the Police Commissioners and Chief of Police in making arrangements for preserving public order

During the progress of the fire it became necessary to raze some frame buildings to the ground in order to stay the flames. In most cases the fire swept over the ground occupied by these buildings and the damage to buildings not burned is very trifling

During the fire one thousand feet of hose was purchased by the authorities to which I ask your sanction Appropriations will also be asked for the payment of bills for axes and cordage &c purchased under my instructions

Temporary provision was made as soon as the fire was subdued for the care of those who were rendered homeless. The expense of which has been very small as the applications have been limited

Recognizing the necessity of some organized system of relief to the sufferers by the fire—by furnishing provisions, necessary household furniture and temporary homes—I have requested five citizens to act as an Executive Committee of Relief. This committee has appointed sub-committees on Visitation and Finance and a diligent inquiry is being made into the necessities of our neighbors with a view of affording immediate relief

Proffers of aid have been received from other cities which have been noticed in the public press They have been most thankfully acknowledged and referred to the Executive Committee of Relief who will in their discretion draw for such of the proffered aid as may be necessary

I recommend that persons heretofore residing in the burnt district who hold city licenses for the current quarter shall be repaid from the City Treasury the amount pro rata from date to expiration of the quarter

I call attention to the recommendation of my predecessor in December last, as to increasing the efficiency of the hook and ladder service by purchase of further implements for that department.

I recommend that some regulations be established concerning the construction of brick buildings within the fire limits, and prohibiting the erection of heavy and permanent awnings in streets of 60 feet in width

I also ask that you consider the propriety of extending the fire limits west of First street one or two blocks further south I am reluctant to make any positive recommendation upon this subject which might seem to be oppressive to property holders who desire to improve and feel unable to erect permanent brick structures It is a question however whether the erection of one story brick buildings, rather than the erection of large frame buildings will not be for the interest of property holders in that section by sooner restoring business to that locality

HENRY FAILING Mayor

The message was referred to the Select Committee having the annual message under consideration

ORDINANCE VETOED

A communication from the Mayor vetoing the ordinance making an appropriation out of the General Fund to pay expenses of cutting a ditch on B street was read The question being shall the ordinance pass notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor, the ordinance was read, and the vote being taken the ordinance failed to pass.

PETITIONS ETC

The petition of David Monnastes and other property owners representing 600 feet on Front street, asking that said street, from Yamhill to Clay streets be widened to 80 feet was read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

The petition of I A Davenport and others representing 600 feet of property on First street asking that said street be widened to 70 feet from Yamhill to Clay street was referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property The Committee in considering the last two petitions was instructed to also report upon the propriety of widening First street from Clay to Caruthers street

The petition of E C Bronaugh and others asking that a fire cistern be constructed at the intersection of Lownsdale and Morrison streets was referred to the Committee on Fire and Water

The petition of D D Burnell asking that the sum of $35 33 paid on license for the Metropolis Hotel up to September 30, 1873 be refunded said hotel being destroyed by fire August 2, was read and referred to the committee having the Mayor's message in regard to the fire under consideration

The petition of Joseph Knott asking that the location of the proposed sewer being built on Stark street be changed at the corner of Front and run down said street to Oak street and thence to the river was read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

The petition of J T Maulsby for the use of the foot of Salmon street as a landing for lumber for 60 days was read and referred to the Committee on Landings and Wharves with power to act in the premises

PROPOSAL TO BUILD ENGINE HOUSE

The proposal of P W Davis to build a house for the use of Protection Co No 4 on the corner of Jefferson and Second streets, provided the city would guarantee the payment of $40 per month rent therefor for the period of 6 months was read and referred to the Committee on Fire and Water

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Fire and Water, to whom was referred the remonstrance against the proposed reduction of the salary of the Chief Engineer reported recommending that the reduction be not made to take effect until January 1 1874 Report placed on file

The same committee recommended that the further sum of $75 be allowed to C Love who was injured at the time of the fire last December and that further allowances thereafter be discontinued

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY

The following claims against the city were ordered paid Special policemen employed August 2d and 3d $141 R Hilaire $116 20 Portland Gas light Company $52 50 Smith Bros $41 20 S G Bunting $1 [illegible] Turner $2 50 *Bulletin* $38 42 Portland Gas light Company $15 85 Clarke Henderson & Cook, $1 50 J K Gill & Co $34 [illegible] Police Commissioners [illegible] H I Lamar [illegible] 00

The bill of J H Lappeus for five hundred and twenty-six dollars was referred to the Committee on Health and Police

The bill of the Water Company for water furnished the city during the month of July for seven hundred and fifty dollars was referred to the Committee on Fire and Water

BUSINESS ON THE TABLE

The report of the Committee on Fire and Water in reference to the proposition of the Water Company to furnish water to the city of Portland was taken from the table read and referred back to the same committee

ORDINANCES

An ordinance making an appropriation of $1,500 to defray the expenses of erection of the Engine House for Tiger Co No 5 read first and second time rules suspended ordinance read a third time and passed

An ordinance to legalize the purchase of 1,000 feet of hose on the 2d day of August 1873 was read a first and second time and laid over under the rule

An ordinance making an appropriation out of the general fund to pay extraordinary expenses of the fire of August 2 1873, was read a first time and laid on the table

An ordinance to extend the fire limits in the city of Portland and amending other ordinances in regard to the same matter read a first and second time and laid over under the rule

On motion the Council adjourned

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Crops coming in

Lumber in demand

Activity in the ruins

Base ball and boating lags just now

Labor smiles Cause rush for [illegible]

Keep away from the walls in burnt district

Relief from abroad coming in It is welcome

Another big lot of postal cards at the post office

Look out for the WEEKLY OREGONIAN to-morrow

Montague and Mills Corrotte are in Pittsburg, Pa

The San Francisco *Chronicle* does the fire up with a big woodcut

Activity in the burnt district in clearing up debris continues unabated

Protection Engine Co will meet this evening at their old Engine House

Third street is fast filling up with merchants and promises soon to be a busy thoroughfare.

W Massie barber reports his loss by the fire to be two hundred and fifty dollars No insurance

Captain Ankeny is the man for the times A few more like him would build a city on short notice, and help sufferers innumerable

"What's the date of your bustle?" was what an anxious papa asked his well-dressed daughter after searching for the latest copy of his paper

Two vessels are on the way from England to this port—the bark *Leda* which sailed on the 12th of April and *Sylhet* which sailed on the 11th of May

Blonde hair is worth more than its weight in gold The metal costs about eighteen dollars an ounce while the hair sells for from twenty to thirty dollars

Old fashions are being every day revived in ladies' dress As an instance, the present style of wearing the hair dates back to a period prior to the invention of combs

If there are any cases of destitution not known to have been reported to the disbursing committee the same should be sent in to the committee or W. S Ladd, Esq., Chairman

Meeting of the Council was delayed last evening for a little while a quantity of plaster having fallen from the ceiling, causing a general unpleasantness in the room

It will not be long before all the small postoffices throughout the country will be under the control of women Within the last three months over thirty appointments of the kind have been made

The widow of the German Rivenstein who was drowned a few days ago was visited yesterday by several persons who found her case a deplorable one The disbursing committee will attend to her wants at once they having been notified

MEETING OF SUFFERERS

PORTLAND, August 6 1873

At a meeting of the sufferers by the late fire, held in the Court House, W F Wilcox Esq, was called to the chair and Dr J G Glenn chosen Secretary

On motion the following notice was signed for publication in the city papers

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the sufferers by the fire of August 2d held at the Court House on Thursday evening August 7th at 7 30 o'clock P M sharp Let all attend [illegible] will be brought before the meeting

John A Carr
J H Thompson
D D Bunnell
W F Wilcox
J G Glenn
C S Silvers
Oliver Dennie
J R Lake,
C M Ross
J M Fryer
McGinn & Hill
E G Freeland
W Hutchison,
I Sincheimer
Henry Edwards
H B Starr
J J Allad,
John Robinson
C W Brown
Lewis Bonard
P W Davis
Daniel McGill,

On motion the Chairman was requested to telegraph to Governor Grover requesting him to be present

On motion adjourned

W F WILCOX Chairman

J G GLENN Secretary

BUSINESS NOTICES.

J H Egan one of the burnt outers gives his present address in a card to day

Welch & Morgan are placing the store room adjoining Northrup & Thompson in order and will open with a full stock of saddlery etc

Ferry Woodward & Co are the agents for the Phœnix Insurance Company and they announce the fact in the advertising columns

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A CARD.

To the Champions of Dead Men Seeing in last night's issue of the *Evening News* and in the morning's issue of the OREGONIAN signed by J. W Kern statements relating to an inquest lately held by the coroner of this county upon the body of a dead man found floating in the Willamette river I have at this time to pronounce each and both statements as false, and brand the authors as unmitigated and malicious liars and at *this time*, I would advise the *News* not to throw stones as long as he lives in a glass house for Mr *News* man has a pedigree and the same was in part illustrated a few weeks since in collecting and appropriating a soldier's *Kearsarge* prize money. [The above assertion is made from information and belief] As regards the statement in the OREGONIAN, I repeat that the same is utterly and in every respect false The particulars of the case are as follow When notified of a dead man being found I proceeded to the spot situated above Smith's saw mill and discovered a body in the water Making inquiries of numerous by-standers as to cause of death, identity etc, was unable to learn anything of the man except by a very willing Kern, who knew all the particulars (taking his word for it), even to the fractional money he had in his pocket and the amount he had left at home—at the same time pretending great friendship for deceased's family—insisting that there was no necessity for an inquest and if there had to be one he (Kern) would officiate and attend to that loose change himself which manifestations led me to believe that he *meant business* and I gratefully declined his offer I then ordered the undertaker to remove the body to his rooms which was done a jury summoned and inquest held. I of course could have had the corpse pulled on shore and an inquest held without removal but as the weather was so warm, flies so bad, and the body in such an unusual state of decay I felt it my duty to have the same removed out of the sun How the undertaker removed the body I do not know Upon the inquest being held there was found on the body of deceased $42 25 notwithstanding said Kern knew he *had* $50 [The balance I have no doubt Mr Kern can account for] After learning by the witnesses that deceased had left a destitute family, I took of the money, on my own responsibility twenty dollars, and sent it by Mr Nation to the widow of deceased, remarking at the time, before the jury and others that when I made my return to the County Commissioners, if they took exceptions to the act I would make it good out of my own pocket I did not say as the "Kern" alleges, that I would keep the balance, $22 25, to pay expenses of the coroner's inquest; and I have to repeat that the would be gentleman Kern knew he lied when he said it The law directs me as coroner when finding valuables or papers upon the body of a dead man to make with my report a return to the County Commissioners of anything so found I will further state for the benefit of Kern and others, that the County Court pays the costs of an inquest and not the coroner I have only to say in regard to sending the widow twenty dollars—when she was destitute—that if I did wrong and the county demands the money so disposed of that I will make it good Another assertion of the gentleman relating to such haste in burial I will answer in few words The man was so fast putrefying that the stench emitted from the body was unendurable and the undertaker refused to keep the body in his wareroom over night. Now, hoping that I have fully answered the malicious lies of said above mentioned Kern and that the next time he will get to a dead man's pockets first I remain your obedient servant,

T. J DRYER,
Coroner Multnomah county.

THE COURTS.

COUNTY COURT—HAMILTON J

WEDNESDAY, August 6, 1873.

IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the guardianship of Mary Louise Pauline de Pourtales Georges, a minor order for publication of notice to next of kin etc of said minor, to show cause why a guardian should not be appointed

In the matter of the estate of Herman Friedman, deceased, order for continuation of hearing of semi annual report and objections thereto in the above mentioned matter until the next regular term of this Court

Ordered that the funds or other effects found upon the person of H Rivenstein, deceased upon whom an inquest was held by the Coroner be paid over by him to his widow

It is also hereby ordered that $50 be and is hereby appropriated for the temporary relief of said Rivenstein's family, and that a warrant be issued therefor

COMMISSIONERS.

In the matter of the petition for a road from Thos Culley's to the Columbia river, ordered that the viewers, David Powell, Andrew Pullen and W A Brown meet at Thos Culley's house on Saturday, August 16, 1873, at 9 o'clock A M, to complete the view of the above mentioned road, and make due report of the same.

In the matter of petition for county road from north line of the city of Portland and running north to the Columbia county line via Springville report of viewers heretofore appointed rejected and N Walker John S Dickinson and Wm A. Brown appointed to review said proposed road, said viewers to be governed in their action by the report of the surveyor adopted by this Court, said viewers and surveyor to meet at the Court House on the 18th inst at 9 o'clock A M and proceed to make said survey

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The Daily Oregonian.

[illegible]DAY MORNING AUGUST [illegible] 1873

A TIGER HUNT

[illegible] ENCOUNTER WITH A MAN-SLAYER

[illegible] sends the *Pioneer* [illegible] extract from a private letter [illegible] gentleman in a late tiger [illegible]

[illegible] have had a very, very narrow shave [illegible] man-eater, but, thank God, [illegible] as yet [illegible] a good weapon in a good eye [illegible] my fear [illegible] still in the [illegible] of the living and without any permanent injury [illegible] sportsman [illegible] cheated a tiger out of his prey [illegible] done. After this I [illegible] slippery customer [illegible] I have been working in a very wild country the last three months and [illegible] of the high grass and having no [illegible] was unable to follow up [illegible] tigers were roaring around [illegible] committing havoc. The hills [illegible] lately been on fire and the long grass [illegible] away and I had just completed the [illegible] of a most important irrigation project [illegible] on the evening of the [illegible] victim added to those [illegible] had fallen to a monster of a man-eater [illegible] troublesome was the brute that when [illegible] we always feared being carried away [illegible] was walked out of my camp a month [illegible] Knowing this to be [illegible] my express cartridges and ordered my [illegible] to the nearest village, four miles off. The [illegible] morning early I started alone with my [illegible] a first class man, I having been one [illegible] owing to the thickness of the bushes [illegible] not see the brute, although I could [illegible] the crunching of the bones. I moved [illegible] toward him when there was a [illegible] bound and he was off. I just got one [illegible] glimpse of a part of his body but did [illegible] as I had not a fair shot. He went on [illegible] marked him some distance off going in [illegible] small cane field. I followed up, but found [illegible] not dangerous to [illegible] on going for [illegible] and returning after breakfast. Accord[illegible] at 12 I returned with about eighty [illegible] accompanied by a young friend named [illegible] who was most anxious to see a tiger [illegible] a good little fellow, and one whose [illegible] I deeply lament. On arrival at the [illegible] I pointed out to the beaters the cane [illegible] beast had gone into and directed them to [illegible] up toward me where I posted myself [illegible] 300 yards off on a large rock, some fifteen feet from the ground. My friend my [illegible] and myself taking our [illegible] close to [illegible] other, the beat began and ended without [illegible] of the brute and I was much disgusted [illegible] disappointed, and was returning to camp [illegible] way. I walked up to within five yards [illegible] the cane I had seen him go into in the [illegible] and pointed out the place to my [illegible] friend G—— We both sat down and [illegible] for about ten minutes when my [illegible] proposed to beat over the same ground [illegible] us. I directed them to commence at [illegible] same time expecting nothing to appear [illegible] the noise and hubbub the beaters had made [illegible] have driven the devil himself out. Be[illegible] the beat commenced I ordered my shikaree a village shikaree and poor young G—— to up a tree, close to where we had been [illegible] and I took my [illegible] at the roots, my [illegible] Ramlah, being behind me. The beat [illegible] commenced, and hardly progressed fifty yards, [illegible] from the very cane out rushed the man [illegible] infuriated, and not more than [illegible] yards from me. He stood for one instant [illegible] sprang at me. I dropped on my knee [illegible] received him in his spring having only [illegible] to fire the first barrel and hold my rifle to ward off the blow he aimed at me. The [illegible] was knocked out of my hands and I was [illegible] spinning over with my [illegible] For [illegible] time we two with the tiger were rolling [illegible] together, and I saw my shot had broken [illegible] jaw which was hanging down. This [illegible] prevented him from using his teeth [illegible] probably the blow from the express bullet [illegible] quarters stunned or blinded him [illegible] the moment, as otherwise he must have [illegible] us more than he did. I got up [illegible] and fell again, and must have been unconscious from the blow for about a minute [illegible] when I [illegible] myself I saw the monster [illegible] yards from me with his back turned to [illegible] me, [illegible] the tree and maul [illegible] some one. My first impulse was to seize [illegible] rifle, and this I found on the top of a bush [illegible] by. I tried to cock it, but found that the [illegible] bolt was so jammed forward against the [illegible] by the blow that the latter would not [illegible] I then tried to open the breech to use [illegible] barrel I had fired, but found the lever bent [illegible] so frightfully that nothing could be done [illegible] then the animal bounded away with a [illegible] I shall never forget. To my horror and [illegible] I found my poor young friend [illegible] I had placed for safety in the tree had [illegible] a victim to this brute. I rushed forward [illegible] immediately, and with the assistance of my [illegible] was carrying away the poor young [illegible] who was insensible when the tiger [illegible] charged again! Having no weapons to protect ourselves with we dropped young G—— [illegible] quietly as we could, and ran to a tree twenty yards off. The animal came up to G—— [illegible] him all over, walked round him roaring, [illegible] lashing his tail and then sat down beside [illegible] wishing no doubt to make a meal of him [illegible] his broken jaw, which was hanging must [illegible] prevented this. I did not know what to [illegible] Here I was helpless, not a weapon avail[illegible] all the beaters had bolted and the sun [illegible] with a vengeance was blazing on my bare head [illegible] was feeling faint as I had only just recovered [illegible] an illness which had weakened me much [illegible] at last got desperate, descended from the tree [illegible] and ran on to some ten beaters who with my [illegible] servants, were up in trees. These I collected [illegible] and fortunately they had two tomtoms with [illegible] I took one of them myself and heading [illegible] the beaters we walked toward the brute mak[illegible] a devil of a row. He could not stand this [illegible] sneaked away into the jungle. We then [illegible] pushed on picked up the young man and [illegible] were retiring when he again charged out of a [illegible] bush. The poor young fellow had recovered [illegible] consciousness and begged me not to leave [illegible] When I found the animal coming at us [illegible] I tomtomed and shouted diabolically [illegible] and my staunch men and the beaters did the [illegible] same. The beast charged up to within about [illegible] twenty yards of us, stood roared at us, turned [illegible] tail, and bolted! We then ran with the young [illegible] fellow some half a mile until clear of the jungle and then stopped. Mr Greener the [illegible] young man had up the tree, and thus was dam[illegible] aged also. You would like to know how the [illegible] poor young fellow got into the brute's clutches. Well after I was knocked over the infuriated [illegible] brute was so stunned and blind from the effects of the shot that he ran at the tree after [illegible] rolling over with me, reared up against it and [illegible] was grappling with it when young G—— [illegible] thought that he was climbing the tree to get [illegible] at him and instead of [illegible] so paralyzed [illegible] and frightened that he lost all [illegible] and fell [illegible] into the animal's clutches and was [illegible] mauled frightfully with the claws and had [illegible] his spine broken I believe. When I recovered myself and he was rearing up against the [illegible] tree. I might have shot him dead easily if my [illegible] rifle had been serviceable and thus perhaps [illegible] saved the poor young fellow's life. When we [illegible] got away a sufficient distance we gave G—— [illegible] some water and carried him into camp two [illegible] miles off. My poor wife was in a frightful [illegible] state for as soon as I got to the tent I [illegible] swooned away from excitement, fatigue and [illegible] the blow I had received. I had blood [illegible] from my ears, and I had two ugly scratches [illegible] [illegible]

Speaking of the [illegible] at Ithaca, New York, the [illegible]

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING August [illegible] 1873

Gold in New York to-day [illegible]

Portland Legal Tender rates [illegible] buying, [illegible] selling.

[illegible] are quoted at [illegible] fine.

Wheat [illegible] Liverpool—Average [illegible]

[illegible] hands of those [illegible] their labor.

Our [illegible] banks [illegible] period of stringency [illegible] banded their resources [illegible] are entering the new [illegible] year with very fair prospects [illegible] good fall trade.

The [illegible] of the National Bank [illegible] of Washington [illegible] weekly financial report of Hasler & Co., is full of thought [illegible] bankers and financiers. After a full consideration of the [illegible] present system which includes a restriction upon the circulation the legal tender reserve and the rate of interest which the banks may charge, the author proposes to substitute for an absolute [illegible] yearly average reserve [illegible] per cent, leaving the banks to expand when the market [illegible] demands it on condition of contracting again when the demand ceases. The security of this average reserve would be secured by a tax upon excess of issue.

The announcement was made last week that the German Government had purchased in London, on the 21st ult, $2,000,000 more of United States new fives in addition to their previous purchase made some time since.

As to the payment of the Alabama Treaty money it does not appear to be definitely settled that it will be transferred through the purchase of United States bonds notwithstanding the various reports to that effect. On Wednesday July 23d the total offerings on the Treasury advertisement to purchase $500,000 five-twenties amounted to only $[illegible] of which £207,850 were accepted.

New York Money Market

The New York *Times* of July 25th says:

The reduction by the Bank of England to four per cent. was not unexpected. The effect in the London market was to reduce the street rate for money to three and one half per cent, and the effect here was to bring down the rate of sight bills to 110 [illegible] per cent, while the sixty days rate was 109 [illegible] per cent. The expectation is that sixty days' bills can soon be discounted in London at three per cent per annum which would make them a [illegible] remittance at the present difference for sight exchange.

Although the prominent men in the gold movement (which thus far is a failure) continue to bear the Share speculation and have ventured a [illegible] rally on the market the temper of the Real [illegible] was rather firmer than at the close of Wednesday on most of the New York and Western roads, and on Western Telegraph and Pacific Mail. In regard to the last named the noted Broad street "nine" who, to the great public scandal, have the concern in charge of late, held another meeting to day and on the report after adjournment, that they were advised by counsel learned in the law that they can borrow money on mortgage bonds. In [illegible] Pierrepont to the contrary notwithstanding and the further rumor that there is a division among these directors (of interest, perhaps as well as opinion) about the propriety or necessity for "scuttling the ship" down to thirty or twenty five per cent—nothing being said of the honesty of the operation—the stock improved to [illegible] per cent.

Railway Earnings.

The English railways in 1871 aggregated [illegible] miles and cost 553 millions sterling. The gross receipts for the year were £[illegible]. The receipts from passengers were £20,623,000; from freight £[illegible] 48,000; from other sources £1,785,000. Total receipts £48,893,000. Total receipts per train mile, [illegible] Operating expense £23,[illegible],000. Net receipts £[illegible] 40,000. Net earnings on cost of road, 4.6[illegible] per cent. The *Railway Monitor* gives the following comparative view of the English and American railroad systems, on the basis of four shillings to the dollar:

	United States.	United Kingdom
Miles of road	57,323	15,376
Cost of road	$3,1[illegible]9,423,057	$2,763,000,000
Cost per mile	57,116	179,720
Gross earnings	473,241,055	244,465,000
Gross passengers	132,309,270	102,115,000
Gross freight	*340,931,785	132,425,000
Gross other	[illegible]	8,925,000
Gross earnings per mile	8,256	15,900
Gross earnings per train mile	[illegible]	1.28
Operating expenses	307,486,682	115,757,000
Net earnings	165,[illegible]	128,700,000
Earned gross on cost of road	11.00	8.49
Earned net on cost of road	5.20	4.65

*Freight and other sources combined. Estimated.

From the last line of this table it will be seen that our railroads earn net on their cost 5.20 per cent while those of England earn but 4.65 per cent. The earnings of our railroads show a wider disparity than those of England.

British Gold.

London advices show anxiety with reference to the future movements of Germany in matters of finance. France having suspended specie payments and Germany holding heavy bills of exchange on England it is but natural that the latter country should be strongly desirous that the gold equilibrium should be restored as quickly as possible. The returns of the British Board of Trade just received show that the imports of gold for 1873 were £8.81[illegible] sterling against £8,407,[illegible] in 187[illegible], while the exports for 1873 were £11,[illegible] against £8,[illegible] in 1872. The imports of silver for 1873 were £[illegible] against £5,5[illegible],109 in 1872 and the exports £4,91[illegible],000 in 1873 and £[illegible] in 187[illegible]. The imports of gold and silver aggregated £1[illegible] in 1873 against £13,[illegible] [illegible] and the exports £1[illegible] in 1873 against £14,[illegible] in 187[illegible]. The above figures show an increase in the exports of gold and a decrease in the exports of silver, the natural result of the change in the coinage of Germany from silver to gold.

San Francisco Stock Market

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, August [illegible]

Ophir	[illegible]	Overman	[illegible]
Gould & Curry	[illegible]	Justice	[illegible]
Best & B	[illegible]	Caledonia	[illegible]
Savage	[illegible]	Knickerbocker	[illegible]
Chollar	[illegible]	Arizona & Utah	[illegible]
Hale & Norcross	[illegible]	Globe	[illegible]
Crown Point	81	Baltimore	[illegible]
Yellow Jacket	[illegible]	Eclipse	[illegible]
Imperial	[illegible]	G H Quartz	[illegible]
Empire	[illegible]	Succor	[illegible]
Kentuck	[illegible]	Julia	[illegible]
Belcher	[illegible]	Bacon	[illegible]
Confidence	[illegible]	American Flag	[illegible]
Daney	[illegible]	Tyler	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Woodville	[illegible]
Segregated Belcher	[illegible]	Battle	[illegible]

EVENING BOARD

Meadow Valley	[illegible]	Mahogany	[illegible]
Raymond & Ely	[illegible]	Mint [illegible]	[illegible]
Phoenix	30c	Red Jacket	28
Pioche	[illegible]	Golden Chariot	[illegible]
American Flag	[illegible]	Chollar	[illegible]
Belmont	[illegible]	Savage	[illegible]
Newark	[illegible]	Belcher	[illegible]
Heri [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Elmira	[illegible]	Crown Point	[illegible]

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, August [illegible]—Flour—Jobbing [illegible] extra [illegible] superfine [illegible]

Wheat—$1 [illegible] Shippers paying $1 [illegible]

Barley—[illegible] new [illegible]

[illegible] Potatoes—[illegible] yesterday [illegible]

Onions—[illegible]

Buckwheat—[illegible]

Seed—Canary [illegible] Hemp [illegible]

Beans—Bay [illegible] white [illegible] Brooms [illegible]

[illegible] Dairy Produce—Butter [illegible]

[illegible]

fancy pails [illegible] half barrels [illegible] Cotton crop of the State is turning [illegible] quotable [illegible] Wool [illegible] salted [illegible] cents at [illegible]

Shipping Intelligence

IN THE PATH

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All returns must be filed in the office of the Assessor [illegible] of August. [illegible]

JOHN DOLAN

Assessor Multnomah county Oregon

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[illegible] C. W. WALDEN

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING [illegible]

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IN THE [illegible] COURT OF THE UNITED STATES [illegible] District of Oregon—Assignee Sale. [illegible] the undersigned Assignee [illegible] THE HERALD PRINTING [illegible] will on Saturday August [illegible] at the office of said [illegible] No. [illegible] Washington street, Portland, sell the entire lot of Type, Galleys, also a [illegible] Printing Press, one [illegible] fixtures thereunto belonging as [illegible] the estate of said [illegible] cash in U S gold coin.

[illegible] BACHMAN, Assignee

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BY TELEGRAPH TO THE [illegible]

Ohio De[illegible] Convention

[illegible] August 6—The State Convention assembled at the [illegible] All counties were [illegible] and by large delegations [illegible] committees the Convention [illegible] Reassembled at 2 P [illegible] being in order, William [illegible] county was nominated for Governor [illegible]

Racing

BUFFALO, August 6—Fully [illegible] attended the races to-day [illegible] horses that had never beaten 2[illegible] of $25,000—$10,000 to first, $[illegible] $2,000 third and $2,000 to fourth [illegible] started—Judge Fullerton, Jim [illegible] and Gloster [illegible] but failed to get the [illegible] the first two in 2:20 [illegible] and [illegible] Fullerton came in second [illegible]

BOSTON, August 6—John W. [illegible] with forgery of [illegible] of Chicago and other [illegible] turned over to special detective [illegible] started with him for Chicago [illegible]

[illegible] of a Fine Tr[illegible]

The celebrated trotting ho[illegible] died to-day [illegible]

BOSTON, August 6—Sir John [illegible] telegraphs as follows to a friend who had telegraphed to him [illegible] relative to the report that he [illegible] suicide [illegible]

RIVIERE DU LOUP, August [illegible] famous falsehood. I was never [illegible] life. (Signed) JOHN A. [illegible]

Virginia Co[illegible]

RICHMOND, Va., August 7—[illegible] State Convention met [illegible] Four hundred delegates are pr[illegible] Babcock was chosen [illegible] able discussion. The names of [illegible] Kemper and Robert E. Withers [illegible] nomination for Governor [illegible] one this morning after several [illegible] been made the previous question [illegible] and the Convention went [illegible] ernor. Ex-Lt. Gov. Montague [illegible] nomination of Kemper be [illegible] The motion was seconded by [illegible] agreed to. A letter was read [illegible] per dated two weeks ago, in [illegible] that he did not [illegible] the nomination [illegible] was conferred he would do [illegible] the people [illegible]

SARATOGA, August 7—The [illegible] the race to-day was [illegible] year olds. Nine horses started [illegible] by a neck. [illegible] Time, 3.39. At the second [illegible] mile and a half [illegible] Arizona took the lead at the [illegible] to the end, winning by two le[illegible]

CHICAGO, August 7—A fire [illegible] this morning destroyed the [illegible] Dietz & Co., of Ballard & Co., [illegible] tory of Thos. S [illegible] structures. Total loss is $0[illegible] $10,000 [illegible]

NEW YORK, August 7—The [illegible] *Arndt* from [illegible] via Havre, [illegible] gers on board, is now 15 days [illegible]

NEW YORK, August 7—A [illegible] of gold was sold at 15 [illegible] bids for Government gold [illegible] $1,020,000 from 15 to 15[illegible]

A writ of error, which oper[illegible] proceedings, has been granted [illegible] Wm J. Sharkey, sentenced to [illegible] gust 16th.

NEW YORK [illegible]—The [illegible] man who was murdered at [illegible] Spring and Greene streets has [illegible] as that of Andrew Gargin, [illegible] steamer [illegible]

Sharkey, the murderer, is [illegible] veillance. Some of his friends [illegible] behaved outrageously [illegible] keepers but his own counsel [illegible] hanged on the 15th.

Reports from the agricultural [illegible] land are generally favorable [illegible] early and plentiful harvest.

A private dispatch from Liv[illegible] Captain Phillips and officers [illegible] steamer *City of Washington* ha[illegible] ed from the employ of the co[illegible] casting the lead during the vo[illegible]

WASHINGTON C[illegible]

Postal Treaty with [illegible]

WASHINGTON, August 6.—T[illegible] day signed a postal treaty be[illegible] ernment and Japan providing [illegible] means of a direct line [illegible] packets between San Francisco [illegible] The postoffice at San Franc[illegible] United States office of exchange [illegible] the office of exchange for [illegible] of international postage is 15 [illegible] letter weighing half an ounce [illegible] additional 15 cents for each [illegible] ounce to be reduced to 12 cen[illegible] tion of 12 months from the da[illegible] convention into effect. Th[illegible] charges will be two cents or [illegible] The Japanese postoffice will [illegible] rates. Japanese domestic postage [illegible] thereon by laws of the Empire [illegible] national letter received in both [illegible] in addition to deficient postage [illegible] fine of six cents to be retained [illegible] postoffice. Rates of postage [illegible] closed mails either for or from [illegible] da, British Columbia and British [illegible] ican Provinces when transmitted [illegible] land routes. The United States [illegible] count to the Japanese postoffice [illegible] upon every single paid letter [illegible] countries sent through United [illegible] In [illegible] Japanese currency [illegible] States currency the United States [illegible] solemn equivalent to the Japanese [illegible] the United States cent to the J[illegible]

[illegible] by the Pr[illegible] or more candidates [illegible] Lieutenants in the army [illegible] of the Examining Board [illegible] missary Sergeant at [illegible] Winters who served [illegible] Modoc campaign [illegible]

The Manitoba [illegible]

[illegible] August 7—T[illegible] Manitoba [illegible] the very day that Senator [illegible] presented the [illegible] Ministry but [illegible] Sir John A. McDonald [illegible] Austin leaves [illegible] New York in com[illegible] He promises [illegible]

JAPAN.

The Farmers Rebel[illegible]

NEW YORK, August 7—A [illegible] the 21st ult 10,000 [illegible] with bamboo spears [illegible] and some [illegible] with swords attacked the Go[illegible] Fukuisa [illegible] fire to the [illegible]